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## NAZI BOMBERS CHECKED ON EAST COAST OF ENGLAND: AIR RAID ALARM IN LONDON

### British Naval Units Sink German Ships, Attack Submarines

#### APOLOGY FOR BOMBING OF ESBJEG

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Enemy aircraft approached the east coast of England early this morning.

A communique says that, so far as is known, the enemy raiders did not penetrate the defences and no damage was reported.

At 7 o'clock this morning the air raid alarm was sounded in London. German bombers approached the coast but were apparently driven off.

THE RAIDERS RETURNED ABOUT 20 MINUTES LATER. SHOTS WERE FIRED AND THE ENEMY MACHINES AGAIN TURNED OFF.

The Ministry of Information announces that further extensive reconnaissance was carried out by the Royal Air Force over Germany on the night of September 5-6. British aircraft were not engaged by enemy fighters and, as on the two previous occasions, they all returned safely.

Copies of the note to the German people were again distributed over a wide area.

British naval units have sunk at least three German ships and attacked a number of submarines in different places.

#### GERMAN TRIBUTE

The captain of the Orlanda, the German vessel which was sunk by a British warship, said at Montevideo that he was well satisfied with the treatment received at the hands of the British naval authorities and voluntarily undertook, with his men, not to participate further in the war.

No details of the attacks on German submarines are available. It is not always advisable to make public British naval successes and it must not be assumed, when there are no reports, that there has been no success.

The Admiralty is issuing communique when it is deemed advisable. The British Government has expressed profound regret to the Danish Government for accidentally bombing Esbjerg just inside the Danish border.

#### WORD FOR GERMANS

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated that bombing by German aircraft was generally directed against military objectives. It was generally not indiscriminate against the civilian population as such, though many casualties among civilians had been caused.

This was according to information the British Government had received.

#### "HITLER KNOWS NO GOD"—GANDHI

SIMLA, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—It is understood that Mr. Gandhi made an appeal to Herr Hitler last week for peace.

To-day, the Mahatma said, "It seems that Hitler knows no God but brute force."

Mr. Gandhi said that he was in sympathy with Britain and France on the humanitarian viewpoint.

## Air Fight Near Paris At Dawn

### Population Keeps Calm

PARIS, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Enemy aircraft were sighted near Paris in the early hours this morning and sirens were sounded. The populace was awakened from sleep and took to shelter in a calm and orderly manner carrying their gas-masks. The all clear was sounded at 4.15 a.m.

Having learned from experience of previous warnings the people were quickly prepared to make a quick response to the sirens' call.

In one shelter, 50 persons allocated there were present within five minutes. Some of them were fully dressed most of them with vacuum flasks, food and even easy chairs.

Another alarm was sounded at 10.47 o'clock and the all clear was given at 11.20 a.m. The raiders were heavily engaged outside by anti-aircraft fire and French fighters. They were flying at a height of 1,500 feet. None of the raiders reached the capital.

## NO YUGOSLAV MOBILIZATION

BELGRADE, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The Yugoslav Government has denied that there is partial mobilization in the country. It is declared that only a number of experts have been called up for technical exercises.

## NO NAVAL ESCORT FOR U.S. SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—President Roosevelt has declared that American steamers carrying United States citizens will not be provided with naval escort. He added that legislation will be proposed against propaganda favouring Communism and Nazism.

U.S. ARMS EMBARGO REPEAL URGED  
NEW YORK, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The "New York Times" and "Herald Tribune" urge the immediate repeal of the arms embargo as laid down in the Neutrality Act.

## INSIDE STORY OF CONDITIONS IN H.K. INTERNMENT CAMP

### La Salle College Now Looks Like Fortress

THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" is in a position to reveal to its readers a complete inside story of conditions prevailing in the Colony's Internment Camp at La Salle College, Kowloon, since enemy aliens were arrested and placed in confinement there.

SINCE THE CAMP WAS ESTABLISHED ON SUNDAY night, yesterday was the first occasion on which visitors were allowed to visit the internees.

La Salle College, until recently a centre of learning and a playground for the youth of this far-flung outpost of the Empire, now presents a very different appearance to that for which it was intended.

Surrounded by a high network of school At the gateway, and at barbed-wire, which is believed to every corner along the boundary, the College now appears to be a fortress of the Royal Navy.

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## MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC WARFARE

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The Ministry of Economic Warfare, which corresponds with the Ministry of Blockade during the last War, will disorganise the effect of the enemy offensive in economic and financial fields.

It is a vital offensive arm which is complementary to the three fighting services. Its organisation has been in progress for two years and works closely with the corresponding French authorities.

NO HASTY IMPROVISED  
It is pointed out that the Ministry is no hasty improvisation. The task of creating the necessary organisation has been in progress for two years and a complete staff drawn partly from the Civil Service and partly from expert circles in the city and elsewhere, was earmarked some months ago.

The Ministry will be in closest touch with the corresponding French authorities and in order to secure the necessary co-operation a French delegation of experts has arrived in London and is already working in the Ministry.

## Daring Raid On Shanghai Traitor Den

CHUNGKING, September 6 (Central)—Five armed men forced their way into the office of the sheriff of Yangszuchuen in Pootung opposite Shanghai across the Whangpoo River and assassinated a number of minor Japanese puppets in a daring attack in the early morning of September 4, according to a Shanghai report.

Li Chieh, puppet sheriff of Yangszuchuen, was killed outright together with Chow Yueh-lin, a puppet village elder. Li's brother, another minor officer under the Japanese, was also killed.

Another puppet village elder, Mo Shao-keng, was seriously wounded. None of the five gunmen was captured. At Chaochochin, another outlying village near Shanghai, six senior members of the bogus police force there were captured by guerrilla forces and executed.

## 3 MERCHANT SHIPS SUNK

### TWO GERMAN AND ONE BRITISH

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Information has been received here that the German ships the Olinda and the Carl Fritzen have been sunk and that their crews are safe.

The Olinda, (4,578 tons) was reported to have sailed from Buenos Aires for Hamburg on Aug. 29 and the Carl Fritzen, (6,593 tons) was reported to have been bound from Holland for Canada or Buenos Aires.

#### ALL RESCUED

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—It was officially announced that the British steamer Boma has been sunk and that all hands were rescued by a Norwegian tanker, except a fireman, who is reported to be dead.

The position of the ship was not given.

#### SET ON FIRE

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The captain of the British ship Boma has informed the Admiralty that his ship was set on fire by gunfire from a German submarine which



LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The King has approved of the appointment of H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester as Chief Liaison Officer for British Field Forces.

## NEUTRALITY A LA TOKYO

### Demand That Foreign Troops Leave China

#### FEAR 'INCIDENTS'

SHANGHAI, September 6 (Reuter)—The Japanese have made proposals that the troops of belligerent Powers should all be withdrawn from China in order to avoid incidents.

It is learned that the British pointed out that the Germans had no troops in China and that, therefore, no incident was likely, but they have agreed to refer the proposals to London, though doubt is expressed whether they would be accepted.

The populace in the foreign settlements and concessions in China are most uneasy concerning these proposals, since it is felt that foreign troops afford the only reliable protection in these areas.

## ATHENIA DISASTER MIGHT PROVE OF GREATER MAGNITUDE: 125 PERSONS MISSING

### No Doubt That Liner Was On Peaceful Mission

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, said that statements taken on oath from the Chief Officer of the Athenia and numerous survivors, both British and Americans, established that the vessel was sunk by a submarine without warning. Mr. Churchill regretted that the disaster might prove of greater magnitude than earlier reports indicated.

There were 1,418 persons aboard of which 315 were crew, 1,103, were passengers and 125 were not accounted for.

The torpedo struck the engine room and the submarine then came to the surface and fired a shell which exploded in the middle of the deck.

The submarine then cruised round and was seen by numerous survivors, including Americans.

The survivors, Mr. Churchill continued, were picked up by two destroyers, which hastened to the rescue, and also by other vessels.

from a German submarine which afterwards torpedoed and sank the vessel. All aboard were rescued except a fireman who was killed.

#### LATVIAN SHIP SUNK

#### COPENHAGEN, Sept. 6 (Reuter)

A Latvian steamer was sunk near Malmö, Sweden. There were 22 men on board two of whom were drowned. The vessel left Riga on Saturday.

The Athenia was not defensively armed and she carried no guns. Mr. Churchill expressed profound sympathy with relatives of the bereaved.

Treatment Contrasted  
The First Lord of the Admiralty contrasted the German treatment of the Athenia with the British action in sinking two German ships. Every provision was made for the safety of the German crews and passengers on the vessels and all their lives were saved.

Mr. Churchill observed that the newspaper of a neutral country, "New York Post," had stressed that the crew were given time to pack their belongings and take to boats. Also, the captain of one vessel on arrival at Montevideo expressed gratitude for the manner in which they had been treated.

Peaceful Mission  
Replying to supplementary questions, the First Lord declared that there was not the slightest doubt that the Athenia left before the declaration of war on a peaceful mission.

SAFETY OF EMPIRE  
CANBERRA, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The Parliamentary and Labour Party has pledged itself to do everything possible for the safety of the Empire as it is an integral part of it.

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## CANNON OPEN DUEL IN WEST: WARSAW BEING EVACUATED

### Reich Forces 42 Miles From Much-Bombed City

LONDON, SEPT. 6 (REUTER).—HEAVY ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT IS REPORTED FROM THE GERMAN WESTERN FRONT.

NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS REPORT A HEAVY ARTILLERY DUEL BETWEEN THE MAGNOT AND SIEGFRIED LINES IN THE MOSELLE REGION, FIRING LASTING ALL NIGHT, BUT A GERMAN COMMUNIQUE REPORTS THAT THE WESTERN FRONT IS QUIET.

Heavy fighting is reported about 40 to 50 miles north-west of Warsaw.

The Administration has left Warsaw and evacuation of wounded soldiers and news correspondents has been completed.

A communique states that fierce fighting is continuing towards Pionsk, about 42 miles from the suburbs of Warsaw and Ciechanow, 58 miles from the Polish capital. Polish troops are resisting superior enemy forces to the southwest.

An official communique gives a description of the air raid on Warsaw which took place on Monday afternoon.

It is stated that some 70 bombers dropped explosive and incendiary bombs and the enemy especially attacked suburbs inhabited by the poorest sections of the population. Fifteen persons were killed and a number wounded.

STOCK EXCHANGE REOPENING TO-DAY

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The London Stock Exchange officially reopens to-morrow. Hence to-day's inter-office and street dealings were very small. Prices, however, were generally maintained.

## SURPRISE VISIT PAID BY KING TO R.A.F.

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The King paid a surprise visit to the secret headquarters of the Royal Air Force Fighting Command where he inspected the control rooms. He then went over to the Anti-Aircraft Command headquarters nearby.

## Cause Worth Sacrifice

WELLINGTON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The New Zealand House of Representatives affirmed New Zealand's declaration of war against Germany.

Mr. M. J. Savage, the Prime Minister, who is now convalescent after his recent abdominal operation, said that the cause in which they were joining was worth the sacrifice. He added, "Where Britain goes we go and where she stands, we stand."

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# In the World of Sports

## LAWN BOWLS NOTES:

### ONLY MIRACLE CAN PREVENT RECREIO "A" FROM RETAINING FIRST DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP

### H.E. THE GOVERNOR SEES PORTUGUESE WIN PAIRS TITLE LAST SUNDAY

(BY JACK HY)

By beating the Kowloon Football Club last Saturday in their last match this season, the Hongkong Football Club won the Second Division championship and have thus earned a promotion to the First. They have ended the season just one point ahead of their closest rivals, the Taikoo R.C. who also won their remaining match.

Only a miracle can prevent Recreio "A" from retaining the First Division championship which they won for the first time last year. I cannot see how they can ever lose it as they have but to win, nay to tie, one of their four remaining matches to put the other clubs out of the reach of the title.

They not only won last Saturday against the Kowloon Bowling Green, but the gap between them and their nearest rivals has been considerably widened as the result of the defeat of the Kowloon C.C. at the hands of the Indians.

At Sookunpoo, the Indian R.C. avenged their earlier defeat this season by beating the Kowloon C.C. by ten shots. It will be recalled that on the former occasion, it was solely Frank Goodwin's overwhelming win over A. K. Minu that carried the K.C.C. to victory as the other two skips were down.

#### FINE BOWLING

History very nearly repeated itself last Saturday, as Goodwin (who was again drawn against A. K. Minu) was the only K.C.C. skip to win. He started off very well indeed by scoring a six on the very first head followed by a single and a five.

The six was the result of a very fine piece of bowling on the part of Goodwin who, with Minu lying a couple, trailed the jack for the big count.

Goodwin eventually won by 12 shots. However, his 12-shot win was not sufficient to cover up Fincher's and Hyde's 22-shot deficit.

#### TRAILING BEHIND

In the match between M. R. Abbas and J. Hyde, the former was trailing behind the latter up to the 11th head when the score was 13-8 in Hyde's favour. But a seven on the next head saw the turning point in the game. Once Abbas had the lead, he never lost it again and finally won by 25-16. A. R. Dallah had the measure of Teddy Fincher all the way and won by 13 shots.

#### TAIKOO SUPERIORITY

Taikoo demonstrated their superiority over the Civil Servants in the Second Division in no uncertain manner and won on all rinks. Though J. Chalmers scored 34 shots to lead in the Skips' table, he only beat J. Purvis by eight shots.

Recreio retained the Third Division leadership by easily beating the Yacht Club. They won on all rinks. By beating B. E. Maughan by 17 shots G. F. Remedios still leads in the Skips' table.

#### CONVINCING WIN

On Monday last a postponed league match between Craigen-gower and the Indian R.C. (who incidentally had not met previously this season, both their ties having been washed out by rain) was played off on the former's green.

The match ended in a convincing win for the home team, all their rinks being up.

B. W. Bradbury was in excellent form and easily beat A. R. Dallah by 36-14. Joe Leonard, as Bradbury's lead, played a consistent game and was seldom more than a foot away from the jack.

U. M. Omar and A. K. Minu ran neck and neck until tea, but

thereafter the latter fell off and finally lost by eight shots. Dick Bassa led M. R. Abbas by 9-7 on the 11th head but a single followed by a four on the next two heads gave the Indian skip the lead.

#### A REAL GIFT

The single Abbas had on the 12th end was really a gift from Bassa who, lying three shots, pushed up one Abbas' front woods for the shot.

A. M. Omar, Bassa's number three had sensed that possibility and had instructed his skip to take the opposite hand. However that mistake didn't cost Bassa anything as on the last six successive heads he scored 14 shots to win eventually by 24-15.

### CHAMPIONSHIP PAIRS

Last Sunday, before a fairly large gathering which included His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote and His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, the final of the Lawn Bowls Pairs Championship was played between H. A. Alves and F. V. V. Ribeiro of the Club de Recreio and T. E. Robson and H. Nish. By virtue of greater consistency, the Portuguese pair won. Though both Alves and Robson (who incidentally had an interesting duel), played well, it was Ribeiro who took most of the applause. He was in deadly form, drawing 16, the jack or taking away his opponent's wood with uncanny accuracy. Nish was playing below his usual form and was consequently unable to find his length.

Up to the third head, Robson and Nish were leading by 4-1, but a three on the next head saw the Portuguese pair drawing level. They took the lead on the following head with a two and aided by a four at the next end Alves and Ribeiro kept on widening the gap between their own and their opponents' score. They eventually won by 28-11.

### THIS SATURDAY'S MATCHES

It is highly probable that the First Division title will be decided this Saturday when Recreio "A" champions will be at home to the Indian R.C. Even a tie will enable them to secure the championship, but I expect they will win quite comfortably.

The Civil Service C.C. will meet the Kowloon C.C. on the latter's green. Though the Civil Servants won their last two matches (which, I may add, were both played away) I don't think they will put it over on the Kowloon Cricketers.

The match between the Kowloon Docks and the Kowloon B.G.C. at Hung Hom will probably

be decided in favour of the former. Recreio "B" will entertain the Police at King's Park.

This match may prove interesting as both teams are evenly matched. Though I think the Police will win, it is quite on the cards that the Portuguese may spring a surprise on the former.

I believe there are still a number of matches to be played off in the Second Division, though the championship has already been decided. But I'm afraid I don't know what the programme will be like for this week-end.

I don't think that Recreio will find it difficult to retain the Third Division leadership. They will visit the Kowloon B.G.C. and should win. In the other matches in this Division, all home teams should win.

### SATURDAY'S PROGRAMME

#### FIRST DIVISION

Recreio "A" v. Indian R.C.  
Recreio "B" v. Police  
Civil Service v. Kowloon C.C.  
K'loon Docks v. Kowloon B.G.C.

#### SECOND DIVISION

Kowloon B.G.C. v. Recreio  
Prison Officers v. H.K. Electric  
Kowloon C.C. v. Craigen-gower  
Kowloon F.C. v. Yacht C.

### TEAMS FOR SATURDAY

Indian R.C. rinks for Saturday:  
J. Hoosen, S. M. Rumjahn, A. R. Minu, A. K. (skip).  
A. H. Rumjahn, A. Baker, A. O. Madar, M. R. Abbas (skip).  
D. M. Khan, A. M. Wahab, M. Y. Adal, A. R. Dallah.

K.C.C. v. CIVIL SERVICE  
First Division K.C.C. Away vs. Civil Service C.C.

V. C. Labrum, J. W. M. Brown, H. Nish, F. Goodwin (skip).  
T. A. Madar, W. Hyde, J. Fraser, E. C. Fincher (skip).  
Geo. Lee, W. Mulcahy, E. Kern, J. Hyde (skip).

Third Division K.C.C. at Home v. Craigen-gower C.C.

H. J. Smith, A. Madar, W. H. Hobbs, J. M. Jack (skip).  
W. Naef, G. E. Taylor, W. A. Ramsey, T. W. Carr (skip).  
J. Hempsey, J. R. Hill D. Wright, R. S. Meadows (skip).

#### CLUB DE RECREIO

1st Division "A" (Home) vs. I.R.C.  
L. J. Silva, C. M. Silva, J. F. V. Ribeiro, F. X. M. Silva (skip).  
J. Luz, A. P. Gutierrez, R. F. Luz, H. A. Alves (skip).

### H. K. R. A. PROGRAMME 1939/40

#### OPENING SHOOT ON SEPT. 13

The Hongkong Rifle Association will commence its 1939-40 programme on Wednesday next, Sept. 13, with a Spoon and Practice Shoot at 200 yds., 500 yds. and 600 yds.

Pool Bull: Two targets will be reserved for Pool Bill shooting. Firing will commence at 1.45 p.m.

#### PROGRAMME DATES

The following are the dates for the shooting programme:

1939:  
Sept. 13, 20, 24, 27.  
Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25, 29.  
Nov. 1, 8, 15, 22, 28, 29.  
Dec. 6, 13, 17, 20.

1940:  
Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 28, 31.  
Feb. 7, 14, 21, 25, 28.  
Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27 to April 1.

#### Prize Meeting

Apr. 3, 10, 17, 24, 28.  
May 1, 8, 15, 19.

Times of Shooting are:—  
Wednesday, from 1.45 p.m. to dusk.

Sundays, from 9 a.m. (sharp) until 12.45 p.m.

In addition to the dates given above, it is hoped that, as in the past, the Royal Navy will help by allotting spare target accommodation on certain Saturday afternoons on the naval range at Stonecutters.

L. F. Xavier, C. E. Marques, J. E. Noronha, C. G. Silva (skip).  
"B" (Home) vs. P.R.C.  
F. A. Machado, A. M. Xavier, B. Basto, A. A. Remedios (skip).  
C. C. Pereira, D. C. Alves, G. R. Pereira, F. X. Soares (skip).

C. F. Remedios, C. H. Basto, F. V. V. Ribeiro, J. J. Basto (skip).  
THIRD DIVISION  
(Away) vs. K.B.G.C.  
J. C. Remedios, M. F. Alarcon, A. M. Rodrigues, O. P. Remedios (skip).  
A. F. Noronha, F. A. Xavier, C. A. Lopes, S. Souza (skip).  
C. Vas, J. A. Remedios, C. M. S. Alves, P. A. Yvanovich (skip).

STANLEY vs. H.K.R.C.  
The following have been selected to represent the Club:—  
J. F. Barron, A. G. Gardner, G. T. Padgett, G. G. S. Thomson (skip).

R. C. Butler, W. E. Baker, L. de Rome, W. H. B. Muskett (skip).  
R. A. Owens, V. Sorby, S. Deacon, A. F. Paul (skip).

### SOCCER MATCH ON SATURDAY

#### Saigon To Meet Eastern

Under the auspices of the Eastern Athletic Association the Saigon Football team will arrive on a visit to the Colony to-day by the s.s. Canton.

In their first game the visitors will be opposed to their hosts. This game is to be played on Saturday on the Club ground and this should prove the best in the series.

The second match, to be played on Sunday, will see the visitors against the Chinese Federation. This game, however, will be robbed much of its interest, as it is reported that South China will not be back until September 23 or 29.

The third game on Wednesday will be against the Rest of the Colony. The latter team will not have the services of Service or Police players and will be composed mainly of players drawn from civilian Clubs.

### Sporting Fixtures

#### TO-DAY

HOCKEY.—Annual meeting, Hongkong Hockey Association, St. Andrew's Hall, 5.30 p.m.

#### TO-MORROW

BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

SWIMMING.—Y.M.C.A. Mixed Swimming, 8 p.m.



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### LO TAK KUEN LEAGUE

In a Lo Tak Kuen League match played yesterday afternoon on the Southern Playground, Wanchai, Luk Chi Foo defeated Chung Shing by two goals to nil, the latter suffering their first defeat in the League. The winners' forwards were in splendid form.

### POLICE AQUATIC SPORTS

The Hongkong Police aquatic sports will take place on September 16 at the Victoria Recreation Club. Heats will be held on Tuesday, September 12, and the finals will be held on Saturday, September 16.

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### TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were recorded at the Happy Valley training gallops yesterday:—

	Dis- tapes	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Last
Triumphant Day	1	39	1.13.2	1.45.2	2.15	29.3
Cockleford	1	34	1.09.2	1.42	2.13	30
Criffel	1	35.3	1.09	1.40	2.09.2	29.2
Royal Highness	1	44	1.25.2	1.56.4	2.28.1	31.2
Rose Evelyn	1	40	1.20	1.55.4	2.26.2	30.3
Brutus	1	37	1.13	1.44	2.14.3	28.3
Bressay	1	37	1.14.2	1.46.3		32.1
Perfect Day	1	37	1.11	1.42.4	2.13.3	30.4
Geordie	1	36	1.13	1.50	2.26	36
Avon	1	36	1.11.4	1.43		31.1
Sports Venture & King's Envoy	1	40	1.18.2	1.55	2.31	36
Advancing Time	1	43.3	1.20.2	1.54.3	2.26.1	31.3
Galveston Bay & Heddon	1	40	1.17.1	1.53	2.25.1	32.1
Brund & Amber II	1	33	1.08	1.41	2.10.2	28.2
King's Lead & King's Warden	1	38.1	1.14	1.48.1	2.21.2	31.1
Green Bay	1	41.3	1.18	1.51.3		33.3
Guinness Time & This Time	1	44	1.25	2.01.3	2.37.3	36
Radium Star & Silver Star	1	37	1.13.4	1.48.4		35
The Leopard	1	37	1.13	1.51	2.26	34
National Honour & National Guard	1	41.2	1.19	1.52.2		33.2
Forgotten Star & Celtic Star	1	42.3	1.21.3	1.59.2	2.32.4	33.2
Half-Moon Eve & Scenic View	1	40	1.16	1.48.4	2.20	31.1
Gold Coin	1	38.3	1.18	1.50.1		34.1
Meteor	1	35.3	1.09.2	1.45.1		35.4
National Liberty	1	50	1.31.1	2.08.2	2.41	32.3
Commencement Bay	1	40	1.14.4	1.49.2		34.3
Pinfarthings	1	35.2	1.10	1.41		31
Sylvandale	1	40	1.15	1.47.3		32.3
Plain View	1	42.2	1.21.3	2.00	2.37.2	37.2
Lovely Star	1	42	1.18.3	1.54.3	2.28.2	33.4
Eclat View & Moonlight View	1	37.1	1.09.3	1.38		28.2
Starlet & Phoenix	1	45	1.24.3	1.57.3	2.33.2	35.4
Jack O'Lantern & Thanksgiving	1	41	1.17	1.51.2	2.25.2	34
Day	1	38.4	1.15	1.50.2	2.23.2	33
Factorite & Got	1	38.4	1.15	1.50.2	2.23.2	33



## THE SERVICES

## LONDON GAZETTE

## ROYAL NAVY

## ADMIRALTY, AUG. 18

R.N.  
Proby, Sub-Lieut. C. G. Forsberg to be Sub-Lieut. with orig. seny. of Sept. 26, 1938.

## AUGUST 17

R.N.  
In pursuance of his Majesty's pleasure Surgeon Rear-Admiral T. Creaser, M.B., B.Ch., D.T.M., and E. has been appointed Honorary Physician to the King from June 18, in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Surgeon Rear-Admiral L. Warren, O.B.E., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Sub-Lieut. C. H. Pagan to be Lieut. with seny. of Dec. 23, 1936; Actg. Sub-Lieut. (A) J. J. Hoath to be Sub-Lieut. (A) with seny. of Jan. 18.

## R.N.V.R.

Sub-Lieut. J. Black to be Lieut. (May 26).

## AUGUST 21

Actg. Sub-Lieut. to be Sub-Lieut. (confirmed) with seny. as stated—N. L. B. Schuster, W. J. Mainprice (Jan. 16).

## R.M.

Commnd. Band, H. Kenward, L.R.A.M., to be Lieut. on appt. as Assistant Musical Director (Aug. 18).

## AUGUST 22

R.N.  
Lieut. (E) (Retd.) A. T. Lavender to be Lieut.-Comdr. (E) (Retd.) (Aug. 22).

## R.M.

Supt. Clerk C. O'Farrell to be Lieut. on appt. as Qr-Mr. (Aug. 22).

## WAR OFFICE, AUG. 25

## REGULAR ARMY

Col. (temp. Brig.) D. P. Dickinson, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., to be Maj.-Gen. (July 1), with seny. May 23, 1938; Col. G. C. Stubbs, D.S.O., A.D.C., retires on ret. pay and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen. (Aug. 19); Col. (temp. Brig.) A. R. Godwin-Austen, O.B.E., M.C., to be Maj.-Gen. (Aug. 23), with seny. July 14, 1938; Lt.-Col. A. V. Hammond, Indian Army, to be Col. (June 23), with seny. Jan. 1, 1936. (Substituted for the notif. in the Gazette of Aug. 18); Lt.-Col. A. E. Hawkins, from Dorset R., to be Col. (Aug. 1), with seny. Aug. 15, 1938; Lt.-Col. St. J. D. Arodecke-Butler, from Unempld. List, late R. Signals, to be Col. (Aug. 10), with seny. Oct. 1, 1938. (Substituted for the notif. in the Gazette of Aug. 22); Lt.-Col. R. H. R. Neale, M.I.E.E., from Unempld. List, late R. Signals, to be Col. (Aug. 15), with seny. April; Lt.-Col. E. N. Goddard, M.V.O., O.B.E., M.C., Indian Army, to be Lt. Col. (April 19).

## COMMANDS AND STAFF

The follg. relinquish their appts.—Maj.-Gen. B. L. Montgomery, D.S.O., as Div. Comdr. (temp.), and remains on full pay (Aug. 23); Col. F. H. N. Davidson, D.S.O., M.C., as G.S.O. 1st Grade, and remains on full pay (Aug. 5); Col. (local Brig.) G. C. Stubbs, D.S.O., A.D.C., as A.A. and the local rank of Brig. (Aug. 19).

## COMMANDS AND STAFF

The follg. appts. are made:—Maj.-Gen. A. R. Godwin-Austen, O.B.E., M.C., from Bde. Comdr. to be Div. Comdr. (temp.) (Aug. 23); Col. F. E. Morgan to be Grp. Comdr. and is granted the temp. rank of Brig. whilst so empd. (Aug. 8); Col. S. D. Graham, M.C., to be Comdr. R.A. (temp.), and is granted the temp. rank of Brig. whilst so empd. (Aug. 15); Col. O. F. Edgcombe, M.C., from Chief Signal Off., to be Insp. (temp.) and is granted the temp. rank of Brig. whilst so empd. (Aug. 15); Col. R. H. R. Neale, M.I.E.E., to be Chief Signal Off. (Aug. 15); Lt.-Col. V. C. Brown, O.B.E., D.S.C., R. Marines, to be G.S.O. 1st Grade and is granted the local rank of Col. whilst so empd. (Aug. 8); Lt.-Col. W. Wilberforce, D.S.O., M.C., Reg. Army Res. of Off., to be G.S.O. 2nd Grade (temp.) (Aug. 10); Maj. C. Huxley, K.O.Y.L.I., from G.S.O. 3rd Grade to be Staff Capt. (July 17); Maj. J. S. Payne, R.E., to be Staff Capt. (temp.) (Aug. 14).

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

Capt. E. D. Garnett to be Adj. (July 23).

## CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

Maj.-Gen. A. Brough, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., ret. pay, is apptd. Col. Comdr. (Aug. 23), vice Gen. Sir George M. Kirkpatrick, K.O.B., K.C.S.L., ret. pay, who has attained the age limit for appt.

## ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

Lt. Col. McDermot-Roe (late Lt. Gen. List) is granted a temp. short serv. commn. as Lt. (Aug. 29).

## INFANTRY

Middx. R.—The date of secondment of Lt. H. N. C. Gudgeon to read Jan. 21, and not as stated in the Gazette of April 25.

## GENERAL LIST

Maj. A. T. A. Brown, M.M., from Mon. R., T.A., is granted a temp. short serv. commn. as Capt. (July 17), and the hon. rank of Maj.

## ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Sergt.-Maj. H. Hogbin, M.M., to be Lt. (Qr-Mr.) (Aug. 26).

## ESTABLISHMENTS

Maj. F. W. de Guinand, W. York R., relinquishes the appt. of C.S.O. (July 1); Lt.-Col. C. C. Saunders, O'Mahony, O.B.E., A.M.I.Mech.E., ret. pay relinquishes the appt. of Asst. Insp. (temp.) (June 23).

## Anglo-French Solidarity Emphasized

## FRENCH PRESIDENT'S REPLY TO THE KING

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—M. Lebrun, President of the French Republic, replying to the King's message, stated that the British people are making ready, as they did 25 years ago, to engage side by side with the French people in the most noble undertaking of resistance to one of the most hateful acts of aggression recorded in history.

"In the name of France, I salute the British people with emotion. The ideal which inspires France and Britain and their confidence in the strength of their union will make them invincible," concluded the President.

## S. A. PARLIAMENT PROROGUED

CAPETOWN, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—Gen. Hertzog announced in the South African Assembly yesterday that a proclamation would be issued to-day proroguing Parliament.

Gen. Hertzog has resigned and Gen. Smuts is forming a new Ministry.

It is generally understood that the new Government will proclaim martial law to-day.

## BRITISH ENVOY CROSSES BORDER

OKDENZAAL, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—Sir Neville Henderson, British Ambassador to Germany, and his staff crossed the German-Dutch frontier yesterday afternoon.

He had been waiting on the German side since early hours of the morning for an announcement that the German Embassy Staff in London had arrived in Netherlands territorial waters.

The first contingent of 155 overseas Chinese students applying for admission to Chinese Government educational institutions arrived in Kunming, Yunnan, on August 29. Of this number, 45 per cent. are from British Malaya, and about 37 per cent. from French Indo-China, while the remaining number are from Hongkong, Macao and the United States.

## THE ARMY

## NEW BATTALION COMMANDER

The War Office announces that Major F. W. Ford, The Welch Regiment, has been selected for command of the 1st Battalion, The Welch Regiment, vice Lieutenant-Colonel G. S. Brevin, D.S.O., whose tenure expired recently.

## DISTINGUISHED CERTIFICATES

Sergeant W. Docksey, Royal Tank Regiment, has been awarded the Distinguished Certificate in Gunnery, and Corporal G. C. le Cave, R.T.F., is Distinguished in driving and maintenance. Both n.c.s. have been employed as instructors with converted cavalry regiments for a period exceeding six months.

## PILOT KILLED

An aeroplane belonging to the Fleet Air Arm crashed in dense fog on cliffs near Eyemouth, Berwickshire. The pilot and sole occupant, Sub-Lieutenant H. A. G. Pearce, 27, of Goldstone Villas, Hove, was killed.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE

## SQUADRON LEADER SHIPWRIGHT

Squadron Leader A. T. K. Shipwright, D.F.C., has been placed on the retired list on account of ill-health after service with the R.F.C. and R.A.F. that has lasted with one break after the war, since May, 1916. He enlisted as a private in the 3rd Kent Cyclists' Battalion shortly after his eighteenth birthday, and after some service with the A.S.C. transferred to the R.F.C. in May, 1916. A year later he applied for a commission, and after qualifying as a pilot he was appointed to No. 19 Squadron in France. Within a month of this appointment Flying Officer Shipwright was reported missing, and he remained a prisoner of war until the end of the War.

## BLUE SERVICE DRESS

An Air Ministry order withdraws the option which has existed for some years under which officers may wear the service dress cap with No. 5A Field Service Dress in place of the field service cap. No. 5A is the ordinary blue service dress worn on active service and at official displays, visits, &c., not accompanied by a guard of honour or ceremonial parade.

## AIRPORT NEWS

## Imperial Airways:

## NORTHBOUND

Friday: Bangkok, Hanoi, Hongkong  
Delta—4 p.m.

## SOUTHBOUND

Friday: Hanoi, Bangkok, Dardanus, Denebola—7 and 7.30 a.m.

## NORTHBOUND

Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hongkong.  
Service—noon.

## SOUTHBOUND

Wednesday: Hanoi, France.  
Service—1.30 p.m. (same day).

## Pan American Airways:

## EASTBOUND

Thursday: U. S. A., Manila, Hongkong.  
China Clipper—2 p.m.

## WESTBOUND

Friday: Manila, U.S.A.  
China Clipper—8.30 a.m.

## Radio Programmes

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## Childrens Hour

12.15 p.m. A Short Service of Intercession.

12.30 Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan.

Trial by Jury: That She Is Reeling—Leo Sheffield, Winifred Lawson, Arthur Hosking and Chorus. Oh, Gentleman, Listen—Derek Oldham & Chorus of Girls. That Seems A Reasonable Proposition—Leo Sheffield, Arthur Hosking and Chorus. The Mikado: Alone, And Yet Alive—Bertha Lewis, On A Tree By A River—Henry A. Lytton. There Is Beauty—Bertha Lewis and Henry A. Lytton. For He's Cooney and Married Yum-Yum—Allen Davies, Leo Sheffield, George Baker and Chorus. Iolanthe: Iolanthe! From Thy Dark Exile—Bertha Lewis, Nellie Briercliffe, and Chorus of Girls Good Morrow, Good Mother—Leslie Randa and Chorus of Girls. When All Night Long—Sydney Granville. The Pirates of Penzance: This Mabel! The Pirates of Penzance—Elsie Griffen and Chorus of Girls. What Ought We To Do, Gentle Sisters, Say—Nellie Briercliffe and Nellie Walker. How Beautifully Blue Sky—Elsie Griffen, Derek Oldham, and Chorus of Girls.

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Dance Music.

Fox Trot—Too Lovely To Be True (Landauer); Fox Trot—The Pretty Little Patchwork Quilt (Roberts); Jack Wilson and his Versatile Five; Tango—Violets Tiempos (La Fera); Tango—Condens (Frasconi); Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canaro. Fox Trot—Some Day My Prince Will Come (Churchill); Fox Trot—Whistle While You Work (Churchill)—The Orchestra of Merry Men. Rumba—Rumba Tambah (Hernandez); Rumba—The Lady In Red (Wrubel)—Gerald and his Rumba Orchestra. Fox Trot—The Lambeth Walk (Rose) Billy Thorburn and his Music.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast, and Announcements.

1.45 A Mozart Programme.

Overture—La Finta Giardiniera, K. 196—Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra cond. by Bruno Walter. Doves Song (Vanish)—Are Ye—Le Moze di Figaro, Act 2—Tiana Lemnitz (Soprano) with the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. Symphony in B Flat Major, K. 319—Edwin Fischer and his Chamber Orchestra.

2.15 Close down.

6.00 Studio—The Childrens' Hour.

7.00 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 Beethoven Quartet in F Major ("Rasumoffsky").  
Played by The Roth String Quartet.  
7.43 Bachhaus at the Piano.  
Nachstücke in F Major, Op. 23, No. 4 (Schumann); Soiree de Vienne, No. 6 (Schubert arr. by Liszt); Variations on An Original Theme, Op. 2, No. 1 (Brahms).  
8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 A Recital from St. John's Cathedral by Eva Turner (Soprano) and J. E. M. Smith, Mus. Bac., A.R.C.O. at the Organ.

1. Adagio from the "Golden" Sonata—Henry Purcell; Poco Allegro—Henry Purcell; Trumpet Tune and Air—Henry Purcell—J. R. M. Smith, Mus. Bac., A.R.C.O. 2. Sighing, Weeping (From "My Spirit Was In Heaven"—J. S. Bach); Of Flowers It's Pairs (The Peasant Cantata—J. S. Bach); O Praise The Lord ("The Peasant Cantata"—J. S. Bach)—Eva Turner (Soprano). 3. Fugue in E Flat ("St. Anne"—J. S. Bach—J. R. M. Smith, Mus. Bac., A.R.C.O. 4. O Magnify The Lord (Chandos Anthems, No. 8—Handel); Where'er You Walk ("Semele"—Handel); Alleluia—Mozart—Eva Turner (Soprano).

8.45 A Recital by Kreisler (Violin) and Casals (Cello).

Kol Midrel, Op. 47 (Bruch)—Pau Casals and the London Symphony Orchestra cond. by Sir London Ronald Minnet (Haydn, arr. Platt)—Pau Casals acc. by Blas-Net at the Piano.

Rondo—From the "Haffner" Serenade—Pritz Kreisler acc. at the Piano by Franz Rupp. Apres Un Reve (Gabriel Faure); Chanson Villageoise (David Popper); Pau Casals.

Polcinelle Serenade (Kreisler); Dance of the Marionette (Winterhitz)—Pritz Kreisler acc. at the piano by Carl Lamon.

9.15 London—The News.

9.45 Mozart's "The Magic Flute"—Act I.

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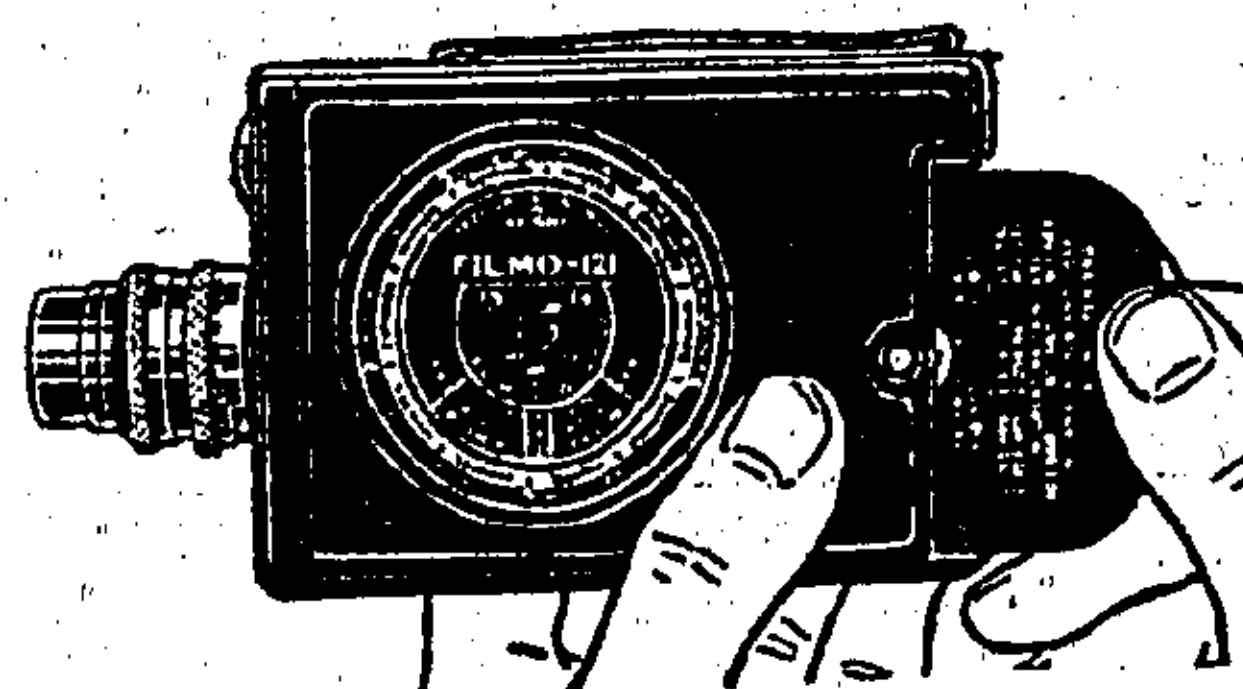
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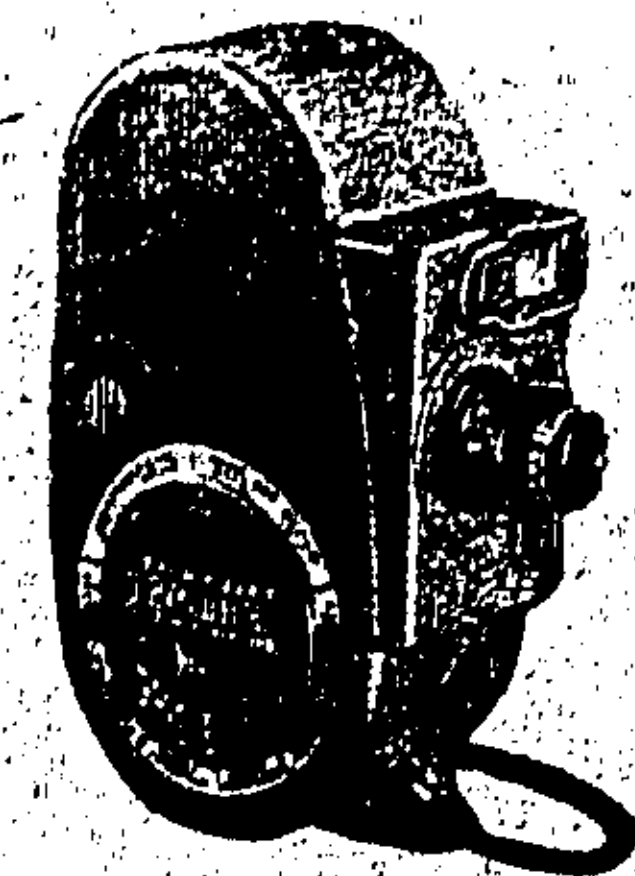
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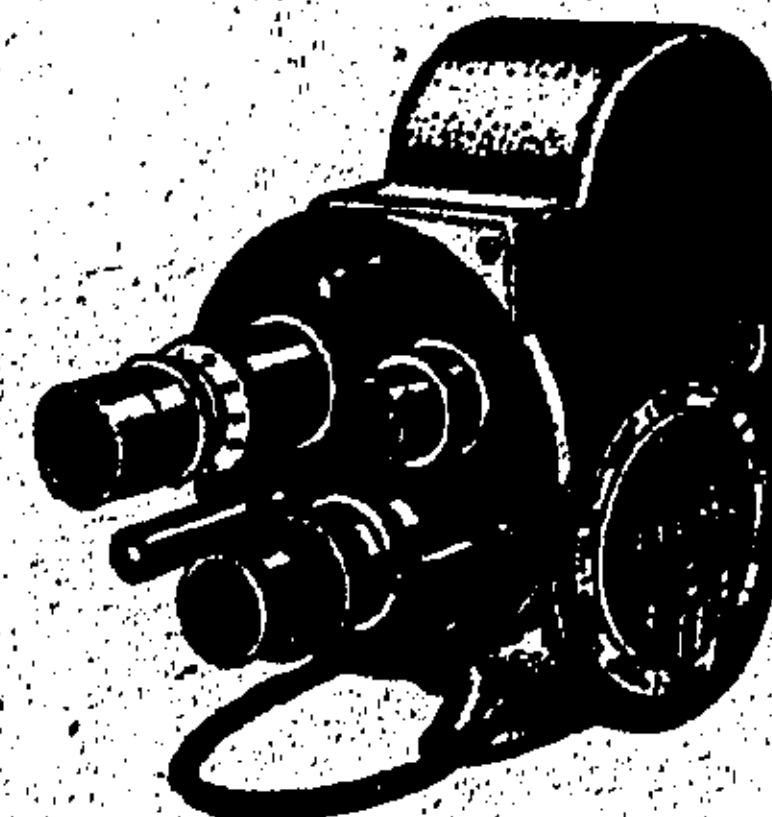


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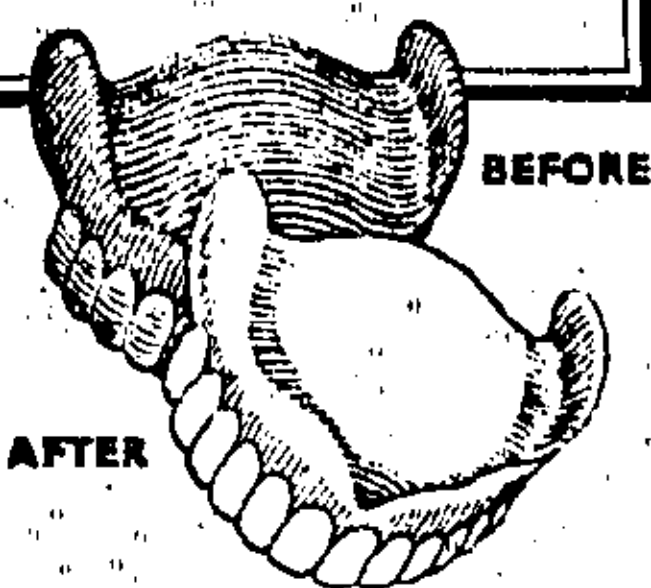








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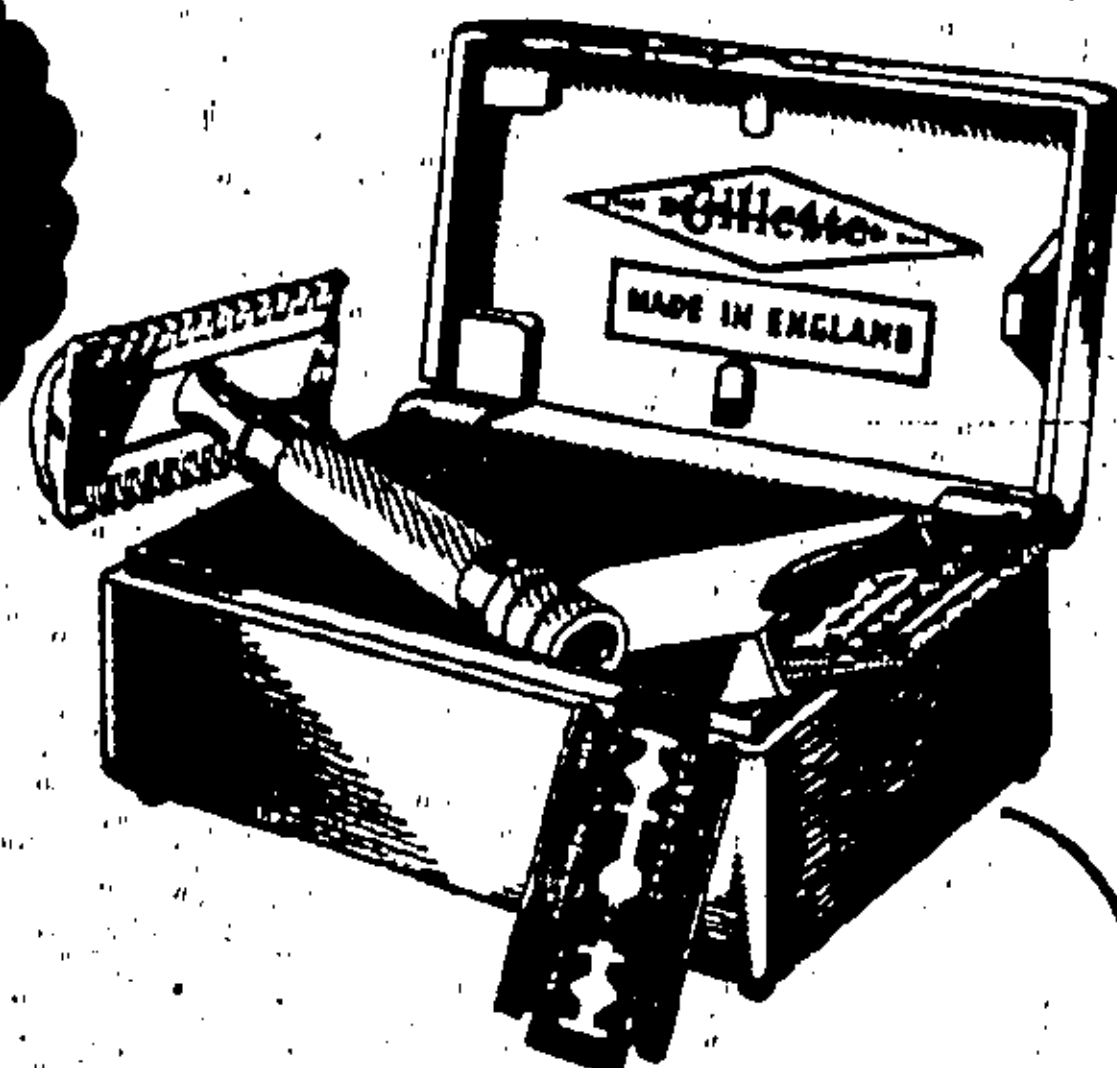
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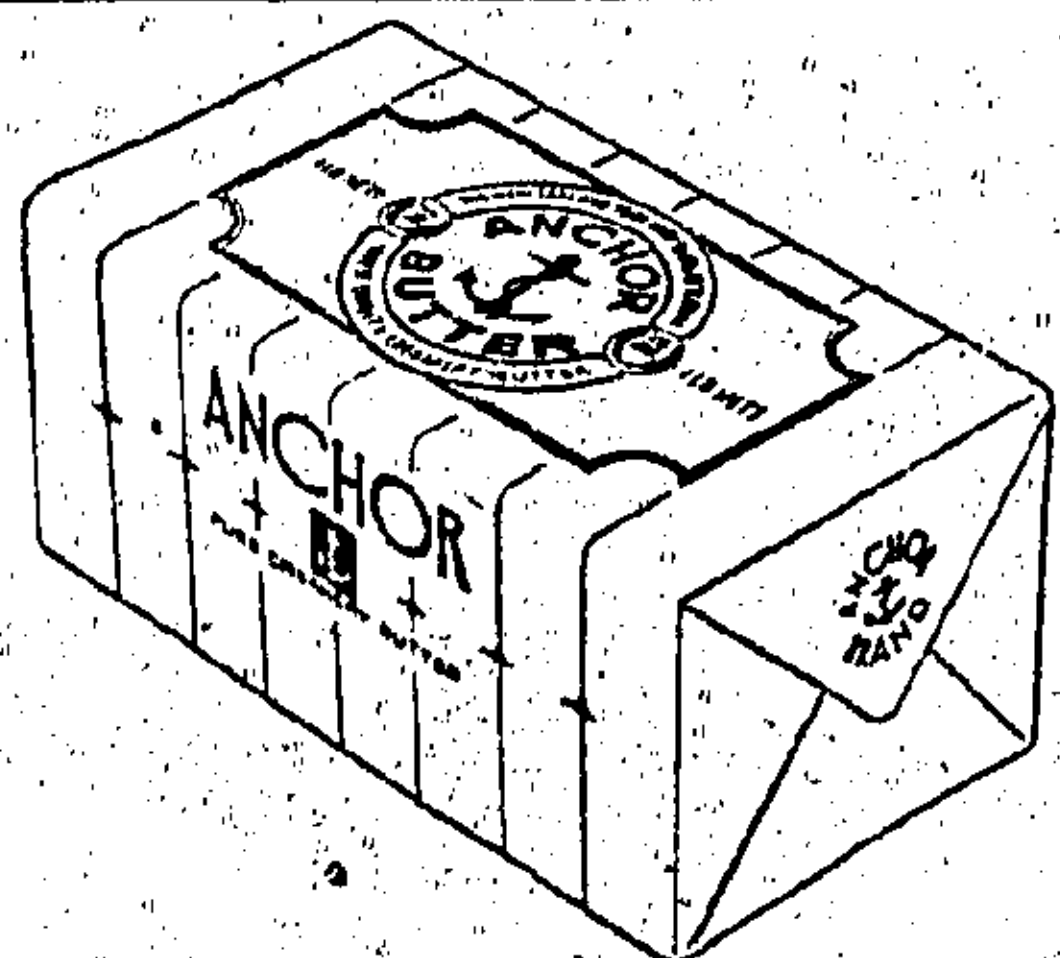
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# WOMEN'S PAGE

## "Art Has No Boundaries"

Nearly 600 men and women, representing 25 countries, are attending the 15th International Congress of the History of Art, which was opened in the Great Hall, University College, Gower-street, W.C., recently.

The Earl of Athlone, wearing his black and gold robes as Chancellor of the University of London, welcomed the delegates and shook hands with each.

He said that Queen Mary had informed him that she hoped to be present at the official reception by the Government at the Victoria and Albert Museum.

The history of art was the history of civilisation. From the earliest prehistoric drawings in caves to the latest schools of painting and sculpture one saw the unceasing efforts of man to portray nature and, through its portrayal, himself. The various schools of painting and sculpture throughout the ages were a mirror of the thoughts and aspirations of succeeding generations.

### "OPTIMISM JUSTIFIED"

"In these days of strident nationalism," continued Lord Athlone, "it is comforting to reflect that art is a common language for the whole world, and that it has no boundaries of race, language or politics."

"That this is true is shown by the gathering here to-day. On many occasions during the last year grave doubts have been felt about the wisdom of proceeding with the arrangements for this Congress, but optimism has been amply justified by the result."

"It is comforting to think that so many persons from different countries have taken the opportunity to escape, even for a short period, from the grim actualities of the present day to meet on the common ground of the humanities and of intellectual friendship."

## SINGAPORE SOCIETY WEDDING

Decorated with a profusion of flowers and tall and stately sugar cane feathers in the pretty shade of Air Force blue, St. Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore, presented a pretty scene for the marriage of Miss Rosemary Gough Howell, only daughter of the Hon. Mr. C. G. Howell, K.C. (Attorney-General, S.S.) and Mrs. Howell, and Squadron-Leader R.A. Ramsay Rae, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. George Rae of Lindfield, New South Wales.

The Bishop of Singapore, the Rt. Rev. B. C. Roberts, took the service and Mr. R. A. Waddle played the organ.

Miss Howell wore a Watteau gown of pearly-slipper satin, which was made in London. The train, cut in one with the shirt, was draped in front to reveal a stiffened lace petticoat, the draping being held in place by a posy of curled ostrich feathers.

The tight pointed bodice had a heart-shaped décolletage and puffed sleeves. The veil delicately stitched in silver, cascaded from a headdress of baby ostrich feather tips and gardenias.

Miss Howell wore a diamond cross at the throat.

### THE BRIDESMAIDS

The bridesmaids Miss Shiela Dumesque, Miss Kathleen Lundon, Miss Penelope Babington and Miss Ariane Philippe, wore flowing chiffon gowns of Air Force blue, with rushed coats matching, rushed chiffon muffs. Their demure poke bonnets were of the same colour.

The bride's mother Mrs. C. G. Howell, wore a two-piece ensemble of Patou, pink heavily embroidered with lace, allied with chiffon. A picture hat of the same tone, trimmed with bird of paradise

## FOUR CHINESE WEDDINGS AT REGISTRY

Four Chinese couples were married yesterday at the Registry, Supreme Court. The parties were:—

Mr. Lau For-lam, clerk of the Colonial Secretary's Office, and Miss Mae Young, of No. 91, Jaffe Road;

Mr. Chan Pak-kui, of No. 8, Mercer Street, and Miss Yee Sau-fong, of No. 23, Lion Rock Road, Kowloon City;

Dr. Lee Fee-chim of No. 10, Bonham Road, and Miss Ng Boon-cheng of No. 47, Bonham Road;

Mr. Ridge Ju York, of No. 13, Ching Fuk Street, and Miss Mary Kwok of No. 18, Nam Kok Road.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:—

Mr. Maurice Bernard Weill, sharebroker, of Messrs. L. Weill and Company, Hongkong Stock Exchange, and Miss Esther Rosenberg, of No. 54, Dina House;

Mr. Grice Wellford Thomas, William Carr, clerk, Army Headquarters, China Command, and Miss Hilda Woo of No. 83, Jaffe Road, first floor.

## PARSEE NEW YEAR

The Parsee community yesterday celebrated their New Year, which is known as the festival of the Pateti.

Appropriate observances were held yesterday morning at the Zoroastrian Hall, Happy Valley, and later in the evening many parties were held in the homes of Parsee residents.

plumes, was also worn, and hand-bag, gloves and shoes matched.

The best man was Squadron Leader Alan Bowman, and the groomsmen were Squadron Leader R. L. Wallace, Flight Lieutenant A. M. Jardine and Flying Officer E. W. Young.

A guard of honour was formed by R.A.F. officers.

## NEWSETTES

The Registrar of the University of Hongkong wishes it to be known that the University will open as notified on Sept. 11.

Gen. Pui Chung-hsi, Director of the Generalissimo's Provisional Headquarters in Kweilin, has addressed a telegram to the manager of the Hongkong branch of the Bank of Kwangsi asking him to convey his welcome to Chinese in Hongkong, Thailand and other places abroad who intend to take refuge in Kwangsi. Gen. Pui said that the Kwangsi Provincial Government would provide all possible facilities for the newcomers.

By order of the Chinese National Government, Lt.-General Chiang Ching-kuo, elder son of General Chiang Kai-shek, Executive General of the Kuomintang, has been relieved of his post as Vice-Director of the Kwangsi Provincial Peace Preservation Bureau, and Mr. Hsiung Pin has been appointed his successor. Mr. Lui Ying has been appointed Administrative Vice-Minister of the Ministry of the Interior.

The Yunnan Provincial Government on August 29 decided to form an overseas Chinese land reclamation committee to encourage overseas Chinese labourers returning to China to undertake reclamation work. It was also decided to establish an overseas Chinese reception bureau, and Mr. Chang Hsi-ling, Commissioner of Reconstruction of the provincial government, has been entrusted with the organization of the committee.

The surplus profit tax of the Chinese National Government, which was revised and approved by the Executive Yuan on August 29 at its 489th regular meeting held in Chungking, is now being enforced throughout the Chinese-controlled areas. The tax will be collected by the Income Tax Bureau. It is being levied half-yearly, those failing to report, or attempting to make a false report on their business profits, will be liable to a fine in addition to punishment by the law.

The Chinese Agricultural Society held its 22nd annual meeting in Chungking on Tuesday with more than 100 members attending. Aside from discussing problems relating to the agricultural reconstruction, the meeting passed a resolution to denounce Wang Ching-wel, the expelled Kuomintang member.

Mr. Chang Kia-ngau, Minister of Communications, was appointed concurrently Chairman of the Water and Land Transportation Joint Planning Commission by the Executive Yuan on Tuesday. Messrs. T. L. Soong, and Chien Tsung-tseh were appointed standing members, while Messrs. Lu Tso-fu, Ching Fen, Hsu Kan, Tsou Ping-wen, Lu Fu-yen, Kung Hsueh-sui, Chao Tsu-kang, Wang Ching-lu, Yu Ta-wei, Chow Tse-yu, and Chang Ku members of the Commission.

## THURSDAY'S MENU

### BREAKFAST

Stewed Apples  
Cereal  
Liver and Bacon  
Muffins  
Coffee

### LUNCHEON

Green Pea Soup  
Tomato Aspic Salad  
Cold Roast Beef  
Baked Noodles  
Hashed Potatoes  
Creamed Spinach  
Relishes  
Coffee Cake  
Tea

### DINNER

Rice Soup  
Salmon Salad  
Individual Meat Pies  
Carrots and Peas  
Creamed Cabbage  
Apple Pie  
Cheese  
Coffee

## HUSBAND "WANTS KICKING"

Opinions about a husband's anxiety neurosis were expressed by Mr. Claud Mullins, the London magistrate, at the South-Western police court. He said the man wanted "kicking into activity."

Before him was Herbert Frederick Pryde, of Landor-road, Stockwell, who had been summoned to show cause why a wife maintenance order of 8d a week should not be varied.

"In one form or another we all have an anxiety neurosis," Mr. Mullins said. "The man who locks the door and then unlocks it to see if he has put the lights out suffers with anxiety neurosis."

Pryde, Mr. Mullins added, had pleaded that he suffered from anxiety neurosis, and had asked a doctor to give evidence.

Dr. Cornelius J. Griffin, of Clapham-road, who had examined the man, said that Pryde had been under a psychiatrist, and had been an inmate of a hospital.

### "VOLUNTARY COMPUSSION"

"His trouble seems to be that working under compulsion makes him feel very much worse," the doctor added.

Mr. Mullins: "In a sense all work is done under compulsion, but it is a sort of voluntary compulsion. Cannot we try the effect of voluntary compulsion on this man?"

Dr. Griffin: I think it would have a bad effect. I gathered from him that he had been working and it makes him feel very much worse. He has been certified by specialists as unfit for work.

Mr. Mullins: And he is thoroughly enjoying it.

Pryde: No, I am not.  
Mr. Mullins to the doctor: Do you believe him. I feel very strongly—I may be mistaken—that doctors have made this man what he is. It is a lamentable thing that he should have been allowed to know that he has anxiety neurosis. No one ought to be told this.

The doctor: I quite agree.

### "TOO MANY DOCTORS"

Mr. Mullins: He wants kicking into activity. I should think the treatment he had has not stimulated a desire to work. He has seen too many doctors, and they have been much too sympathetic. He has got married and produced a child and has never done anything to show that he has realised his responsibility.

Pryde denied that he had been writing to a Member of Parliament.

Mr. Mullins: Well, someone has written about you to an M.P. The M.P. has communicated with the Home Secretary, and the Home Secretary has communicated with me. All this has caused a lot of trouble, and it is not the right way to deal with a case of this sort.

After further discussion the summons was adjourned for a month to enable the doctor to make another report.

## Fortune For Buddhism

Sir Walter William Strickland, the 87-year-old baronet who died in Java a year ago and who some years ago wrote pamphlets attacking British rule in India, left unsettled estate in Great Britain of £15,844 (gross value) with net personality £11,371.

Sir Walter renounced his title in 1923 and announced that he had become a citizen of Czechoslovakia.

In his will, of which probate has now been granted, he directs that boxes of manuscripts, books, and papers deposited in Prague should remain there at the discretion of the trustees, who may change the place of deposit, but that "none of the boxes or their contents shall be removed or transferred to any place in England, Scotland or any other part of the British Empire."

### THE UNNAMED SOCIETY

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# INSPIRING MESSAGE SENT TO H.K. BY SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES

## H.E. The Governor Pledges Colony's Devotion To British Crown

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, on Tuesday, received a personal message addressed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, in connexion with the outbreak of war between Britain and Germany on Sept. 3.

The following is the text of the message:—

I know that while war clouds were hanging threateningly over us the people of British lands overseas were hoping fervently for the maintenance of peace with all its blessings, and yet were preparing calmly and resolutely for the supreme test of war, if it should arise.

Our knowledge of the feelings of sixty million of our fellow citizens in the colonial territories has sustained us in Great Britain in our efforts for peace and steel-ed us in our own preparations for war.

Unhappily the work of peacemakers has been finally thwarted and we have been forced to enter into a hostility not only to honour our pledge to friends but to secure the survival of good faith and liberty among civilised people.

**BURDEN SHARED**  
We in the United Kingdom are prepared to make whatever sacrifice may be necessary in the course of this struggle. We shall be ever mindful that you in the colonial territories are sharing our task and our burden and our sympathy and sense of comradeship with you will be constant.

In the words of His Majesty the King, let us all "stand calm, firm and united in this time of trial."

The long and happy association of so many people of different races and creeds under the British Crown is itself the best proof that the ideal of peaceful and fruitful co-operation between diverse people, who are willing to understand and respect each other, is attainable; and that knowledge will fortify us in our fight to secure the establishment of that ideal in wider worlds. (Sgd.) Malcolm MacDonald.

### HIS EXCELLENCY'S REPLY

His Excellency the Governor replied to the Secretary of State for the Colonies yesterday pledging the deep devotion of the Colony to the British crown.

The following is the text of His Excellency's reply:

#### DEEP DEVOTION

Your personal message conveyed under Circular telegram No. 40 will be published to-day.

It will be very highly appreciated here that consciousness of our deep devotion to the British Crown and our unshakable determination to do everything in our power towards securing victory for the Empire's righteous cause, the Freedom of mankind, has served to strengthen the hands and purpose of the British Government.

A most loyal declaration sent to me promptly on the outbreak of war by the Leaders of the Chinese Community on its behalf is already on its way to you.

Please accept our grateful thanks for your inspiring words.

### UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited) advises that the following unclaimed telegrams are lying at their offices:—

Kongshen, 20 Bonham Strand West; Panchi, 7 Lauli Street; Long Lung, Lingnan University, Stubbs Road; Lee Yuen Zang, 70 Ko Shing Street; Van Yuen Fa, Bonham Strand West; Tse King Chen, Ping On Boarding House; Chan Tung Sinn, Sun Sun Hotel 605, 1237; Ng Wah, Queen's Road Central, all from Shanghai. 36; Bonham St. W. second floor, from Copenhagen.

Sentence of six months' hard labour was passed by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday on Chan Kwan-po, alias Chan So, 34, who was convicted of wounding Leung, Nam, alias Leung Lam, in Bowring Street on July 30. Defendant was accused of having attacked Lam with a fruiter's knife, wounding him severely about the head, arms and back.

### SNATCH THIEVES IN KOWLOON

#### Two French Ladies Have Unpleasant Experience

Two young French ladies, who had an unpleasant experience on Tuesday night, were the complainants at the Kowloon Court yesterday when a Chinese youth, Lee Kwok-chol, who gave his age as 17, was charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen with attempted larceny of a handbag.

Miss Ludmilla d'Eremeeff, of No. 110, Austin Road, who managed to retain her handbag by holding on tightly to the strap, told the Court that defendant had made three attempts to pull the bag out of her grasp, despite the fact she had raised an alarm.

**PULLED AT BAG**  
Complainant stated that she was walking in Nathan Road near Nanking Street, with her younger sister, Marina, about 7.20 o'clock in the evening, on Tuesday, when the defendant came up and pulled at the bag which she held in her right hand. She called out for help, and defendant made away along Nanking Street with a European in civilian clothes in chase.

Sgt. Albert Phillips, of the H.K.S.R.A., who gave chase and arrested defendant, stated that he arrested defendant when the latter turned into an alleyway.

**DEFENDANT'S DENIAL**  
Lee Kwok-chol, in defence, stated he had only collided with a Chinese and was running away because he saw a European running after him. "If I had attempted to snatch the bag, would it not be in my hands?" defendant concluded.

Recording a conviction against Lee, the Magistrate ordered a re-mand of 24 hours in police custody and medical examination to determine his age. The defendant had a previous conviction and was under Police supervision.

**PRISON AND CANE**  
Another European lady, Mrs. P. L. Avers, of Ningpo Street, who was also the victim of a snatcher in Austin Avenue, at 6.30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, was complainant in a case against Kwok Pui, who was sentenced to nine months with hard labour and 12 strokes of the cane.

Accused was arrested by Jamader Man Singh, of the 1st Bn. Kumaon Rifles, who gave chase.

### H.K. UNIVERSITY OPEN SEPT. 11

In connexion with the opening of the University of Hongkong on Sept. 11, the Registrar wishes it to be known that the only alteration in the University programme will be that the supplementary examinations which were to be held on Sept. 8 and the following days have now been postponed for one week.

They will begin on Sept. 15 and end on Sept. 21.

This postponement has been made for the benefit of students from Shanghai and the Straits who have been held up owing to shipping difficulties.

First and second-year lectures in all the faculties will begin on Monday, Sept. 25. Lectures for other years will be held in accordance with the normal programme.

### CLAIM FOR \$205

The case in which Chan Hoo sued Messrs. Hwa Chiu Trust Company and Tan Man for the recovery of \$205, alleged to have been paid to them as "shoe money" and rental for a flat at 277 (second floor), Shanghai Street, was heard again yesterday before Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, when judgment was given for the defendant, with costs.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the defendant, while plaintiff was not represented.

### SUCCESSFUL APPEAL

#### ASSAULT CHARGE SEQUEL

A successful appeal against a judgment given by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, in the Central Magistracy, on June 24, was argued by Mr. H. C. MacNamara, instructed by Mr. W. M. Brown, before the Chief Justice, Sir Abthol MacGregor, and Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, yesterday.

The case was one arising out of an assault charge brought by one Abdul Ghafoor against Jaffar Khan. The learned magistrate had dismissed the charge and ordered Abdul Ghafoor to pay \$50 as compensation. The money was paid into court.

**APPEAL ALLOWED**  
In allowing the appeal, brought by Abdul Ghafoor against the Magistrate's finding, Their Lordships ordered that the \$50 paid into court by the appellant be returned to him.

The respondent did not appear in Court during the hearing of the appeal, nor was he represented by counsel.

### CLAIM FOR RENT ALLOWED

In the Summary Court, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell gave judgment with costs for Wan Chok-wo, who brought a claim against Lui Muk-sang for six months' rent at \$11 a month, in respect of a portion of Shek Kap Mi, Lot No. 575, Shamshuipo.

Plaintiff said in evidence that since 1930 defendant had occupied a portion of over 300 square feet at a rental of \$2.08 a month. The land was partly built on for domestic purposes and partly used for breeding pigs and storing straw.

**MORE LAND**  
In February last year, defendant pulled down the old structure and built new ones, occupying more land to a total extent of about 1,100 square feet, on which he had built four stone houses.

Plaintiff said he had asked for more rent but had been refused. In January this year, he claimed a new scale of rental at one cent per square foot, but defendant had not paid anything nor moved away. Mr. C. D'Almada appeared for the plaintiff.

## PUBLIC WARNED AGAINST FOOD HOARDING: AMPLE STOCKS IN HAND

The following communique was issued to the press yesterday by Mr. R. M. Todd, Controller of Food, in connection with the Colony's food supplies during the present hostilities in Europe:

In this time of emergency, when the British Empire is at war with Germany, it is the duty of the Controller of Food, assisted by an Advisory Committee, to watch over this Colony's supplies of food.

So long as hostilities are confined to Europe and European waters, there is no reason to fear that Hongkong's food supplies will be jeopardised to any serious extent. While such a situation obtains, it will be the policy of the Controller of Food to interfere as little as possible with the normal processes of supply and demand and his aim will be to allow business to proceed as usual.

#### AMPLE STOCKS

At present there are ample stocks of all essential foodstuffs in the Colony and further supplies are on the way. There is no justification for anxiety or for any great increase in prices.

Under the Defence Regulations, 1939, which have recently been published in the Government Gazette, the Controller of Food is given very wide powers to regulate the production, storage, movement, distribution, sale, purchase, etc., of food, including the power to control the prices at which food may be sold. These powers he will not hesitate to use should the necessity arise.

#### NO HOARDING

The public is, therefore, warned not to hoard food. Householders should buy food in the usual quantities from the shops or public markets which they normally patronize. They should not pay prices which are higher than the prices which they have been paying recently without first satisfying themselves by enquiry that this increase is reasonable and is justified.

Shop-keepers and market stallholders are hereby warned

## Big Fire In West Point

### \$10,000 DAMAGE REPORTED

A big fire broke out in the early hours, yesterday, at No. 35 Des Voeux Road West, and caused damage to the extent of about \$10,000. Five appliances, four from the Central District and one from West Point, were despatched to the scene of the conflagration which lasted for about an hour.

The building, which had four storeys, was used as a dwelling on the top floor. The second floor, where the fire originated, was occupied by a sea product shop, known as Loong Chan, whilst the first floor was the office of Messrs. Tuck Cheong-hing. The ground floor was also a sea product shop, trading under the style of Messrs. Yuen Wah-loong.

At 3.30 a.m. smoke was seen pouring out of the second floor. Every effort made by the foks to subdue the flames proved in vain and they were finally forced to divert their attention to securing the account books and other valuables on the premises. They escaped downstairs and raised an alarm.

When the fire appliances arrived on the scene, they encountered some difficulty in securing water, owing to the restriction. The entire ground floor was gutted.

## REFUGEES IN THE COLONY

There was a decrease of 585 refugees and destitutes accommodated in the Colony in Government camps, etc., in Urban and Rural Areas for the week ending Sept. 2, the total being 9,829 against 10,514 on Aug. 26.

**Urban Areas (Civilians):**  
King's Park 1,348 against 1,308 on Aug. 26.

Ma Tau Chung 1,156 against 1,182 on Aug. 26.

North Point 1,472 against 1,482 on Aug. 26.

**URBAN AREAS (SOLDIERS):**  
In Hospital 3, against 3 on Aug. 26.

Ma Tau Chung 759, against 753 on Aug. 26.

**Rural Areas:**  
Kam Tin 4,024 against 4,044 on Aug. 26.

San Uk Ling 304 against 974 on Aug. 26.

Gills Cutting 763 against 788 on Aug. 26.

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## CHOLERA, DYSENTERY AND TUBERCULOSIS TOLL IN COLONY

Twelve deaths from cholera, out of a total of 23 cases (3 imported), 12 deaths from dysentery, out of a total of 42 cases, 10 deaths from enteric fever, out of a total of 28 cases, and 100 deaths from tuberculosis, out of a total of 145 cases, occurred in the Colony for the week ending Sept. 2, according to returns furnished by the Health Department.

Other returns include 5 deaths from cerebro-spinal fever (5 notified), and 2 deaths from measles out of a total of 4 cases.

There were no deaths from diphtheria and purpural fever, but 2 cases of each were notified during the week.

Returns notified to the Health Department on Sept. 5 include 28 cases of tuberculosis, 4 cases of dysentery, 4 cases of cerebro-spinal fever and one case each of cholera and enteric fever.

## TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS IN COLONY

In the Colony of Hongkong, including the Island, Kowloon and New Territories, during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 2, 1939, there were altogether 108 traffic accidents as the result of which 4 persons were killed and 40 persons were injured.

Of the persons killed, three Chinese children, age 5, 6 and 8, were knocked down and killed by a lorry and motor buses respectively while running across the road.

Of 108 accidents, 46 were collisions between vehicles; 41 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; 19 accidents were due to other causes.

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(b) Letters in the ordinary sense of the term, post cards and commercial papers, if posted in the ordinary way, will not necessarily be stopped, but they will be subject to indefinite delay.

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and should state precisely for what kind of business the permit is desired (e.g. News Agency).

Until a permit has been obtained, it is useless to post any packet of the kind in question, or to send by letter post any articles which would normally be included in such packets, e.g. a book, newspaper, or a pamphlet will be treated as "printed matter" and stopped, even if sent by letter post.

#### Rules for the Guidance of Persons Corresponding with Places Abroad.

In order to make the censorship of postal packets, which is rendered necessary in the present emergency, as effective and economical as possible, the public is earnestly invited to conform to the following rules in regard to correspondence with places abroad:—

- (1) The name and address of the sender should be stated on the envelope.
- (2) Private correspondence should be conducted in English if possible; the language should be plain, and the letters as clearly written and as brief as possible.
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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 11th day of Sept., 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Hennessy Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Unlet Price
1	Inland Lot No. 5581, Adjoining Inland Lot No. 4068, Hennessy Road.	As per sale plan.	About 1,000	44	25,500

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## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Unlet Price
2	Inland Lot No. 5592, Junction of King's Road & Wing Hong Street.	As per sale plan.	About 6,170	114	18,500

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HOW THE NAZIS  
MISCALCULATED

THE FIRST FOUR DAYS of War have already produced engagements on both the Eastern and Western fronts, some intensive aerial actions, and naval attacks by the belligerents on each other's ocean-borne trade. With every hour, the issue is being joined on new sectors of the struggle.

FOUR DAYS is a short time, but this short time has sufficed to disprove many of the prophecies concerning the outbreak of the next world conflict which have been the staple fare of Sunday supplements for twenty years. Neither the "Blitzkrieg" beloved of German theorists nor his journalistic version of a single paralyzing surprise blow from the air have shown any signs of materialising.

THE PRESENT war was declared like the last one. Like the last one, it is beginning with what amounts to careful probing of the opposing strength, and, like it again, it will probably resolve itself into a long deadlock on the Western battle-line and mobile warfare in the East.

THE NEW FEATURE will be the war in the air and the death on wings will try its teeth on land and sea forces and on the morale and organization of rear populations. But nothing has occurred either during the past few days or in the test-wars in China and Spain to indicate that the air arm, in its present state of development, can or will be decisive.

IN PLACE OF the small highly mechanized shock armies concerning which so much has been written, we shall again have huge mass armies—peoples in arms. The total strength, economic stability, and the political cohesion of each of the nations concerned will be pitted against that of its enemies.

THIS IS A SAD thing for the Nazis. They will have to give arms not only to the battalions of oppressors who have long used them to impose the terror of the swastika upon their own people, but also to those who have felt the brunt of that oppression. To defend themselves they will have to use the whole people—not only black-shirted and brown-shirted Praetorian Guard of their gangster Fuehrer.

THE FACTS GIVEN above do not justify over-confidence. There is very little doubt that the war into which Britain has entered will be a long and difficult one. One has only to consider the rapidity of the German advance through Poland to be convinced of this. But friends of freedom may draw a large measure of confidence from the collapse of Nazi Germany's paper plans, both diplomatic and military, at the very beginning of the conflict.

## THE TIENTSIN PRISONERS

AT A TIME WHEN BRITAIN has thrown all her power and resources into the fight against Nazi aggression it is disquieting to see further evidences of acquiescence in the Japanese aggression against China.

THE HANDING OVER of the four prisoners in Tientsin

QUEEN MARY  
RACES INTO  
NEW YORK  
IN TIME

The British liner Queen Mary raced into the New York City port early on Monday after a nerve-racking crossing of the Atlantic.

The ship carried not only the largest number of passengers in its history, but also \$44,550,000 in gold. Of the liner's 2,331 passengers, 200 had no regular accommodation. They slept on cots and in public rooms.

65 - HOUR WEEK  
IN FRANCE

PARIS, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—France has decreed that the working week be 65 hours. In certain factories, in connexion with the manufacturing of war material, working hours have now been increased to 72 hours.

## PRIVY COUNCIL MEETS

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Prior to the visit to civil defence posts yesterday afternoon the King held a meeting of the Privy Council at Buckingham Palace.

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Japanese  
Atrocities  
ContinueJUNKS SET AFIRE  
NEAR COLONY

Three Chinese junks are reported to have been set on fire yesterday by sailors from a Japanese trawler.

It appears that the junks were outside territorial waters at the time. One was about seven miles West of Tung Kun Customs and the other two almost opposite the customs station at the time of the incident.

The Japanese sailors ordered the junkmen into sampans and then set fire to the junks after looting the boats of all the cargo. The junkmen were all rescued and a report was lodged with the Water Police yesterday.

Sisters Are  
Turned Into  
Brothers

GREAT YARMOUTH, Aug. 25—Two former schoolgirls have changed their sex, and after an absence from their home town, have returned as brothers, aged seventeen and fifteen.

As girls they were Marjorie and Daisy Ferrow, of Great Yarmouth, one a student of Woolledge Central School and the other a high-school scholarship girl. They are now known as Mark and David.

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## SMOKES A PIPE

A benefactor started a local fund privately towards the cost of the expensive treatment.

The brothers have two older sisters, one of them married with a child, and a younger sister, aged six.

Mark, 5ft. 10in. tall with a man's appearance and voice smokes a pipe now.

"I am glad to be through with it all," he told me. "I don't think I could have faced up to it if there had not been some of the woman's power of endurance in me, though really, I suppose, I have always been a man."

"There is one thing about it," he said. "I find that men's clothes are far more practical than women's clothes."

MEDICAL PREPARATIONS  
NEAR COMPLETION HERE  
FOR ANY EVENTUALITIES.

The Medical authorities, working with thoroughness and precision under the personal supervision of the Director of Medical Services, the Hon. Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clarke, have almost completed preparations to meet any eventualities that might occur in this Colony as a result of the hostilities in Europe.

Both in Hongkong and in Kowloon, hospitals, Government and private, have been prepared for emergencies.

A representative of the "Hongkong Daily Press" was able to gather a number of interesting details in this connection.

There is a total of 26 hospitals in the Colony, made up of eight in Kowloon, including the New Territories, and eighteen in the Island.

Of this total, however, there are nine Government hospitals, including Queen Mary and the Mental and Stanley Prison Hospitals, and 17 private ones including the Haw Par on Cheung Chau Island and the War Memorial.

## 3,500 BEDS

A total number of no less than 3,500 beds are accommodated comfortably in all the 26 hospitals, and the capacity of their accommodation ranges from 548, in the Queen Mary Hospital, to seven beds in Maifima, a private hospital in Wanchai district.

There are altogether 80 Government doctors and 253 private practitioners in Hongkong, thus giving an average of about 13 doctors to each hospital, or, on the assumption that all the beds are

## Hello &amp; Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

Thousands of miles away in Europe cities and their peoples have tuned their daily existence to the terrifying music of war machinery. But, here in Hongkong an orderly day by day manner of living will continue.

The commercial shipping and air routes of the world must be kept open and they will be. However, there will be no doubt be delays in arrangements due to the War.

Passenger traffic to and from the Colony has by no means decreased, businessmen, round-the-world travellers, vacationers, and government officials are dashing about as usual all tending to their individual duties and giving their moral support to those unfortunate people in the cities where war is raging.

## Imperial Airways

TUESDAY, 7 A.M. the southbound departure of Imperial Airways' R.M.A. Della for Bangkok, under the command of Captain J. N. Wilson was quite a "homely" affair, the passengers being all staff.

Mr. A. V. Gill, manager of the local accounts department, Imperial Airways, gathered up his ledgers and figures, transferring his department to Singapore, accompanied by Mrs. Gill and their seventeen-day-old son, Maitre Andrew Gill.

Mr. M. H. Curtis, number one in the local Imperial Airways office was dashing down to Singapore for a business conference with Lieut. Commander A. D. S. Murray, who lately arrived from London to hold down the manager's desk in the southern office.

Tuesday's arrivals for Imperial Airways included Captain Joe Davies putting the R.M.A. Dardanus down at Kai Tak from Bangkok at 4 p.m.

First Officer J. A. Samuels (as Acting Captain) smartly supervised the flight of R.M.A. Denebola from Bangkok arriving Kai Tak at 4.35 p.m. Mrs. Samuels on the plane's arrival smilingly congratulated her aviator husband on his performance which was indeed one of the best!

Colonel Kwan Wing, arriving from Burma, surprised many people; evidently he was not expected in these climes. He had a splendid flight and was glad to be back in Hongkong.

Mr. O. L. Moore arrived from Bangkok in transit to Shanghai.

## Lloyd Triestino

IT IS GOOD NEWS to hear that Lloyd Triestino is resuming their Europe to Orient passenger and freight shipping service. The s.s. Giulio Cesare will call at this port from Shanghai on her homeward voyage on September 10. And the s.s. Conte Biancamano is

arriving from Europe bound for Shanghai on the same date.

## Pan American Airways

PAN AMERICAN AIRWAYS big Honolulu Clipper arrived in the Colony yesterday at 1.45 p.m. from San Francisco, via Manila. Captain R. J. Nixon did the honours.

Dr. Arthur Woo, of Hongkong, returned from a vacation of several weeks in Manila and the Clipper trip was much to his liking!

Two of the most charming and important passengers arriving on the Honolulu Clipper from Manila were the little blonde tots, the Misses K. and J. Alabaster. These youngsters who just can walk welcomed their "papa" with dignified squeals of merriment and recognition on their arrival. Mrs. M. Alabaster accompanied the two children.

Mrs. Henry H. Watt and her two good-looking young sons Mr. Horatio Watt and Mr. Nathaniel Watt hailing from Chicago are on a round-the-world trip which commences at the end of August and is due to terminate at the end of October. They were indeed happy to find that the European hostilities will not necessitate cancellation of their journey through Europe and across the Atlantic. This flying family departed from the Colony on Imperial Airways' Friday morning service.

Major and Mrs. Duncan T. Bollesau, U.S. Army, with their station in the Philippine Islands, are having a short vacation. Though they were very quiet on their arrival yesterday by the Clipper, they appeared to have enjoyed the ride from Manila.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Dargazdar arriving from Manila will continue to India by Imperial Airways' service on Friday morning.

## Air France

AIR FRANCE'S Ville de Hanou arrived from France on Wednesday at 5.45 p.m. in a down-pour of rain.

Miss P. W. Brown a local popular educator connected with Hongkong's Education Department, new in from Hanou by the French service. This well-known resident was returning from a visit in London. Now, it is back to another school year for the lady!

The Military Attache to the French Ambassador in China, Lieut.-Colonel L. Yvon, returned from a mission in Indo-China. He will not be long in the Colony as he is catching the first steamer out, bound for Shanghai and his desk. The existing conditions of his country weighed upon his mind, but he offered a pleasant smile and handshake on his arrival, although he had little to say.

Miss L. Ellis and Mr. B. E. Berlin were two other passengers travelling from Hanou to Hongkong.

Pandit Nehru  
Returns To  
India

CHUNGKING, Sept. 6 (Central)—Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, leader of the Indian Nationalist Movement, left Chungking by plane for Yunnan en route back to India yesterday morning. He was seen off at the aerodrome by a crowd of 1,000 government officials and representatives of various organizations.

Bidding him farewell, Dr. Chiu Chia-hua, Secretary-General of the Central Kuomintang Headquarters, said that the Chinese people were thankful for the sympathy of the Indian people in China's cause.

CLOSER CO-OPERATION He expressed regret that the Indian leader's visit to China had been cut short by the outbreak of hostilities in Europe, and hoped that he would use his influence to effect closer co-operation between China and India.

Replying Nehru expressed thanks for the hospitality extended to him during his 13-day visit in China and delight at meeting Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and other high Chinese officials.

CANTON GERMAN'S  
LEAVE

SHIUKWAN, SEPT. 6 (CENTRAL)—GERMANS IN CANTON ARE REPORTED TO HAVE LEFT FOR MACAO UNDER THE ESCORT OF JAPANESE TROOPS ON MONDAY.

GOING TO MACAO SHAMZEN, Sept. 6 (Int'l)—Following the evacuation of German nationals from the British and French Concessions here, they will leave to-day for Macao. Most of them have already left by Japanese vessels for the Portuguese colony.



# DRAMATIC STORIES TOLD BY SURVIVORS OF ATHENIA: MANY PASSENGERS KILLED BY THE EXPLOSION

## Heart - Rending Scenes On Ill-Fated Ship: Torpedoed As Well As Shelled

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter) — Further dramatic stories of the sinking of the Athenia were related by survivors yesterday. Many of the passengers and crew were killed by the explosion.

In the second saloon, where the passengers were dining, the ceiling crumpled to the water-line.

A young Jewish couple saw their two young sons drown when their open boat capsized.

Women passengers worked with men for many hours at the oars of lifeboats, which were being cramped to danger point, many filling with water and passengers sitting in them waist-deep. There was a heavy swell and bright moonlight.

One young woman pulled from the water sat quietly for a moment, then plunged overboard screaming "My Baby!"

It is clear from survivors' stories that the torpedo exploded abaft the engine-room. A Glasgow member of the crew estimated that 25 per cent. of the American passengers were killed by the explosion.

### MANY CHILDREN

He added, "There were many children on board and there were heart-rending scenes as children rushed about helplessly calling for their parents."

"I saw there was a great cloud of smoke after the torpedo struck the ship, but soon afterwards the submarine came to the surface and before we knew where we were the submarine had turned her gun on us and had fired two shells."

Mr. Robert Gillan, one of the passengers, said there was no doubt that the Athenia was shelled as well as torpedoed.

Mr. Gillan declared that he saw one girl lying dead in a deck chair with her face cut in two, obviously by a shell splinter.

### GRAPHIC STORY BY CANADIAN

Mr. John Bigelow, of Alberta, Canada, who is one of the survivors of the Athenia tragedy, gave a graphic description of the torpedoing of the ship. His account was recorded, and subsequently broadcast, throughout the world by the B.B.C.

Mr. Bigelow said that he had just gone to the lounge. His wife and his two children, a boy and girl, aged six and five years, had gone to the cabin amidship just above the spot where the torpedo struck.

Water poured in on them. He tried to get to their aid, could make no headway for about fifteen minutes through the milling crowds pouring up to the boat decks.

The ship, meanwhile, had taken a bad list to starboard and all the ship's lights went out.

### HURRIED BELOW

He managed to get hold of a lantern and hurried below and found his wife in water. He dragged her out and up on to the deck and then returned to the cabin again fully expecting the ship to sink at any moment.

Desperately he pulled Mrs. Taylor, a stewardess, out of the water and then plunged into the cabin which was nearly full of water to find his children. They just had their heads above water, he said.

He grabbed hold of them and managed to carry them both up on to the deck to his wife, who was waiting anxiously not knowing what to expect.

When they got to the life boats, they found them all full. There were cries of "Women and Children Only!" They threw the children into one of the packed boats and at the last moment managed to get in as well.

### TEN HOURS

There were so many people that they could not row at first and each time that they pushed away from the sinking Athenia, the seas pushed them back again. Finally they got clear and with twelve men at six oars struggled about in the seas for ten hours before being rescued.

Mr. Bigelow said that actually their boat was lucky, as it was only ankle-deep in water. It was 4 a.m. before they were picked up and they

had no blankets. His two children were in pyjamas. Mr. Bigelow ended by paying a tribute to his companions and to their gallant rescuers.

### TORPEDO WENT RIGHT THROUGH

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—On arrival at Galway yesterday afternoon, Capt. Cook, master of the Athenia, said there was absolutely no doubt the British vessel was torpedoed. The torpedo went right through the ship to the engine-room.

The submarine subsequently came to the surface and fired one shell at the sinking liner.

### TRAIL OF SMOKE

Capt. Cook then called forward eye-witnesses of the torpedoing who said that the submarine fired its missile from a range of between 800 to 1,000 yards. The first officer said he saw the submarine's periscope and a trail of smoke following in the path of the torpedo as it sped towards the ill-fated liner.

Capt. Cook's account of the torpedoing of the Athenia was confirmed by other witnesses.

### "MY SHIP WAS TORPEDOED"

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Of those in the Athenia when she sank, 430 landed at Galway and 300 at Greenock. Eight others, who were injured, are being taken straight to New York. Survivors tell stories of the appalling disaster.

"There was no doubt about it. My ship was torpedoed," said Capt. Cook, master, on arrival.

The torpedo went straight through to the engine-room and wrecked the galley. He also said that the shell fired by the submarine was aimed at the ship's wireless and other survivors corroborated the story of a shell having been fired.

### STATEMENT MADE IN LORDS

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—In the House of Lords yesterday, Lord Halifax, replying to a question, on the torpedoing of the Athenia, said that it was impossible to estimate the number of casualties until the various ships had landed the survivors in different ports.

Some were returning to this country and some were going to the United States.

Lord Stanhope added that, according to the wireless messages received, the submarine fired a torpedo without warning the ship and then broke surface, so that there was no question whatever regarding the cause of the sinking.

The Admiralty was anxious to await the return of the Captain of the Athenia so as to be quite certain of the facts before making a statement, but there were rumours here that shots were also fired.

### ABSURD SUGGESTION

Replying to Lord Strabolgi, Lord Stanhope said that Lord Strabolgi was quite correct in suggesting that that part of the sea was too deep for mine-laying.

"And besides," continued Lord Stanhope, "in any case it would have been an absurd place to lay any mines at all. This country was anxious to keep the trade routes going and, therefore, to place mines in that area would be entirely contrary to the whole policy

### WAR COMMUNIQUE

PARIS, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—War Communique No. 4 states: "Our troops made contact everywhere at the outlet of the French frontier between the Rhine and Moselle."

There is reason to recall, adds the communique, that on the Rhine the permanent fortifications run along both banks of the river.

### MALTA'S LOYALTY

MALTA, Sept. 5 (Reuter)—The Maltese Council has passed a resolution reaffirming Malta's loyalty to the British Government and has also passed legislation for the emergency issue of paper currency.

### HENDERSON AT HAGUE

THE HAGUE, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The former British Ambassador to Germany, Sir Neville Henderson, arrived at The Hague last night after crossing from Rotterdam.

## FIGHTING CONTINUES IN SOUTH POLAND

### Polish Counter-Attack: Warsaw Again

WARSAW, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—A communique states that fighting is continuing in Southern Poland and Poznan (Posen). The rapid movement of Polish troops towards the German frontier has disorganized the detachments of German troops which were standing on the defensive.

The Poles are reported to have taken a number of prisoners. An effective Polish counter-attack took place against the German mechanized units in Southern Poland, near Bieradz.

The Germans are stated to have left behind a large number of tanks and lorries, the occupants of which were taken prisoner, the total number of prisoners being considerable.

A message from Paris states that the Havas war correspondent reported that gunfire was heard in Warsaw during the whole of the morning.

WARSAW, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Eleven Heinkel bombers raided the suburbs of Warsaw on Monday, coming over at an altitude of 1,500 feet. They met intensive anti-aircraft fire.

### VIOLATION OF RULES OF WAR

WARSAW, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Further attempts on the part of Germans to descend by parachute on Polish territory in order to create diversions are reported in an official Polish statement.

It is stated that several men, wearing the uniform of Polish soldiers, came down by parachute yesterday. The statement adds that this is not the first case of flagrant violation of the rules of war.

### EXPLOSIONS HEARD

BRUSSELS, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The neighbourhood of Aachen is reported to have been bombed yesterday morning.

The sound of sirens and explosions were heard from a number of points on the Belgian frontier, according to the correspondent of the "Solr."

### PLANES OVER BERLIN

WARSAW, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—It was announced over the radio yesterday that over thirty Polish aircraft flew over Berlin yesterday and that all returned safely.

### RAILWAY SUSPENDED

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The train service between Lithuania and Poland has been suspended.

Reuter's correspondent in Kaunas, Lithuania, says that this action was taken because of reliable reports that trains had been bombed by German planes.

There is now no railway communication between Kaunas, Vilna and Warsaw.

### MODERN WARFARE

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—At a meeting of the Danish Chamber on Monday, the President said

not only of the Admiralty, but of the Government.

"Therefore, the mere suggestion that a mine had been laid there by this country was obviously ridiculous and absurd."

### U.S. GATHERING TESTIMONY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—The Government has begun gathering testimony to fix the responsibility for the sinking of the Athenia.

The State Department announced that the United States Minister in Rire had cabled from Galway that he had interviewed the Athenia's captain, members of the crew and American passengers who all stated that the Athenia was sunk by a submarine.

### CHINA WAR NEWS:

## FIGHTING RENEWED IN WEST SHANSI: SURPRISE ATTACK IN EAST HONAN

HINGTSI, SHENSI, SEPT. 6 (CENTRAL)—QUIET ON THE WEST SHANSI FRONT HAS BEEN BROKEN AS TWO JAPANESE COLUMNS STARTED A WESTWARD DRIVE FROM LISHIH WITH LIULIN AND CHIHKOW AS THEIR OBJECTIVES.

One column pushing towards Chihkow is learned to have been beaten back by Chinese forces following a severe battle at the hilly regions near Wanglaotashan, while the other column advancing on Liulin has reached Tsaihiakow, near Liulin, and is meeting with stiff Chinese resistance.

Meanwhile, Chinese attacks on Changchih and Changtse in south-east Shansi continue with increasing severity.

### Surprise Attack

LOYANG, Sept. 6 (Central)—Chinese units staged a surprise night attack on Tungshu, south of Kaileng in East Honan, a few days ago. They succeeded in capturing the north and west suburbs, but withdrew the next morning.

### Unit Ambushed

MILO, HUNAN, Sept. 6 (Central)—A Japanese infantry unit was ambushed on Monday morning at Kangwangchiao, in the vicinity of Lushang, in North Hunan. Over 100 Japanese were slain and two machine-guns and three rifles were captured by the Chinese.

### In South Kiangsu

KWANGTSE, ANHWEI, Sept. 6 (Central)—To forestall Chinese counter-attacks the Japanese who occupied Kaohur, at the south-western tip of Kiangsu Province, on August 31, have broken the embankment on the Shihchiu Lake and flooded the areas west of Kaohur.

The Japanese have withdrawn inside Kaohur, where they are attempting to hold out against the Chinese.

### Daring Raid

CHANGTSE, HUNAN, Sept. 6 (Central)—The Chinese field

that the bombing of Eshjeg was an example of the horrors of modern warfare.

An investigation would be made and if the guilty party was found, a protest would be lodged and compensation demanded.

### GERMANS STAY ON IN SHAI

SHANGHAI, Sept. 6 (Int'l)—It is learned that the some 150 German residents in Shanghai are still staying in the French Concession, many being non-Nazi Germans. They are permitted to carry on normal business pursuits.

The Germans are unable to leave owing to the omission of German liners from calling here at present. Some of them are engaged in buying raw materials from China such as cotton.

German circles pointed out that there is some improvement in Sino-German relations following the conclusion of a German-Soviet Non-Aggression Pact.

### headquarters have issued an order of commendation in recognition of the bravery of a Chinese squad, which recently made a daring raid on the Japanese at Lungkowchen, in the district of Klayu, on the north bank of the Yangtze River in Hupeh.

Armed with hand-grenades and other light weapons, the Chinese broke into the Japanese barracks. They killed more than ten Japanese and captured a light machine-gun and two rifles.

All nine members of the squad returned safely.

Attack in Bias Bay

YUNGYUN, KWANGTUNG, Sept. 6 (Central)—The Chinese counter-attack in the Bias Bay area has resulted in the recapture of many points, including Kwetchung, Lam-tin, Wongkong, and Kaitau. Over 200 Japanese were killed in action.

A part of the Japanese retired to their warships in the bay while others fled to Fukut and Shataukok.

Japanese batteries at Mahow near Samshui heavily shelled the Chinese positions yesterday morning.

The cannonading was clearly audible in Shihuhing states a Shihuhing report.

In the Tsungia sector three thousand Japanese troops pushed northward from Shengkong and Tapingchong to Kailow on Monday. They were intercepted by Chinese self-defence corps.

In the Chaohow-Swatoow sector the Chinese are reported to be pushing toward Chaohow.

HINGTSI, SHENSI, Sept. 6 (Central)—Japanese reinforcements have been pouring into southeast Shansi, latest military despatches indicate.

It is estimated that the total number of Japanese troops at Changchih, Changtse, Hukwan, Lucheng and other towns now reaches 20,000. They are being subjected to relentless attacks by the Chinese.

Shihchihchen, west of Changtse, is reported to have been recovered by the Chinese who are continuing their push towards Changtse itself.

### RETALIATION BY BERLIN

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter)—Berlin announces that all property on Slovak soil of the Slovak Minister to Warsaw has been confiscated.

Berlin says this is in retaliation for his broadcast from Poland when he called on the Slovaks to overthrow the Nazi oppressors.

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## SHANGHAI RECEIVES NEWS OF BRITAIN'S DECLARATION OF WAR

### STREAM OF CALLERS AT CONSULATE

CHUNGKING, Sept. 5 (Central)—News of Britain's declaration of a state of war against Germany was received in Shanghai with excitement on Sunday evening, according to a belated Shanghai report.

The news was immediately broadcast and extras were issued by the papers.

The Britons were especially excited, but a blow was dealt upon the German residents who thought

that Britain would not openly declare war against the Reich.

### CALLERS AT CONSULATE

There were streams of callers at the British Consulate-General on the Bund where the lights were on throughout the night.

It is learned that secret orders regarding emergency measures had been received beforehand by the various British organisations in China and these were immediately put into execution.

Five hundred British troops are reported to have left Shanghai on the night of Sept. 2 to return to England, though no official announcement on their departure was made by the British authorities.

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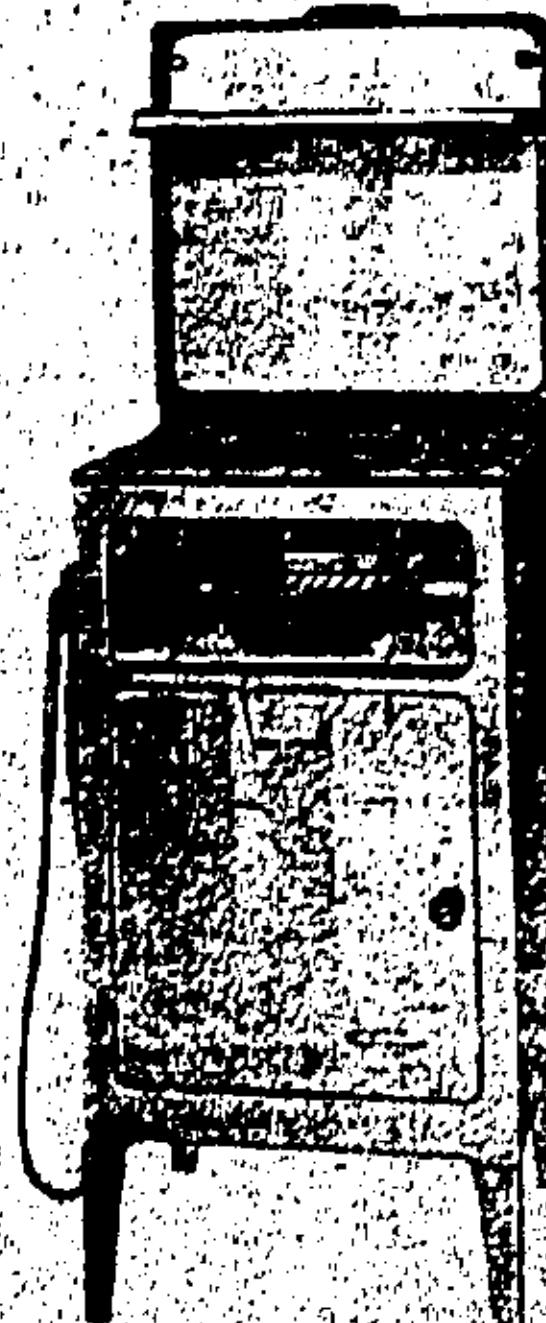
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## ANNUAL MEETING OF R.H.K. YACHT CLUB

The annual general meeting of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club was held yesterday evening at the clubhouse, North West. Mr. E. Cock, Commodore of the Club, presided, assisted by Messrs. H. W. Duley, N. V. A. Croucher, A. G. Dalziel, E. M. Bryden, B. S. Carter, R. J. Minnitt, J. E. Potter and P. C. M. Sedgwick (honorary secretary). There was a large attendance of members.

"The year's activities have been reviewed as usual in the printed report," said Mr. Cock. "The accounts which have been in your hands for the necessary period of time are conservative. We have prospered in spite of the handicaps we have worked under."

"The voluntary services rendered to the Club by the Honorary Secretary, the Honorary Sailing and Rowing Secretaries and members of Committees have contributed very largely to our position. We are now at the end of our 50th year and the present moment would mark a very important point in our history due to this and to the fact that we are shortly to move to Kellett Island, but all our affairs are now overshadowed by the fact that Britain is at war and I think it would not be timely for me to speak about the future."

"I therefore rise to propose the adoption of the report and accounts and when this is seconded I shall be glad to answer any questions."

The proposal was seconded by Mr. Croucher and unanimously passed.

## OFFICERS ELECTED

The election of officers for the ensuing year then followed: Mr. E. Cock was re-elected Commodore amidst general applause.

The following were also re-elected:—

Vice-Commodore, Mr. N. V. A. Croucher; Rear-Commodore, Mr. D. F. Landale; Hon. Secretary, Mr. P. C. M. Sedgwick; Treasurers, Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews; Auditors, Messrs. Linstead and Davis; Hon. Librarian, Mrs. J. L. Adams.

The following sub-committees were elected:—

Sailing Committee:—Commodore A. M. Peters, Col. G. C. Gowland, Capt. J. Krogh-Moe, Messrs. H. W. Duley, R. J. Minnitt, C. Trenchard, Davis, J. G. B. Dewar, G. G. Wood, A. O. G. Mills (honorary secretary).

Rowing Committee:—Messrs. J. E. Potter, A. G. Dalziel, F. M.

Thompson, T. Swan, R. W. Smith, D. C. Russell, J. B. Colls.

House Committee:—Messrs. R. J. Vernal, J. R. L. Stanton, J. G. B. Dewar and Mrs. J. L. Adams.

Indoor Bowls Committee:—Messrs. B. Naess, H. Dreyer and K. M. A. Barnett.

Squash Committee:—Messrs. F. M. L. Haynes and P. F. McCabe.

Mr. W. J. Hansen proposed a vote of thanks to the outgoing Committees, which was heartily recorded.

## THE REPORT

The report of the General Committee for the year ended June 30 states, inter alia:—

In spite of the drawbacks of the North Point Clubhouse site, the Accounts show that the Club has had another successful year. Bar turnover was not quite so high as last year, but Entrance Fees and Members' Subscriptions have maintained a satisfactory level. General Expenditure has been reduced during the year, and the profit on Working Account is \$1,536.10.

(Work on the bathhouses and site formation commenced on Kellett in the autumn of 1938 and was completed at a cost of \$10,812.59. The General Committee went carefully into the estimates of expenditure on the main Clubhouse house and into the question of financing the proposed scheme. A Sub-Committee under the Chairmanship of the Rear-Commodore reported that it was practical to borrow up to \$150,000 to finance the building and working drawings were prepared by Messrs. Leign and Orange. After tenders had been obtained, an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members was

held on June 2, 1939, at which the detailed proposals were put before members, and the General Committee was authorized to proceed.

The Club is greatly indebted to the courtesy and generosity of Imperial Chemical Industries (China) Ltd. for their offer to provide landing facilities and a car park in their East Point property.

## MEMBERSHIP

The total membership on June 30, 1939, was 363 including Absent Members, Subscribers, and Lady Subscribers, but excluding Life Members and Honorary Members. Life Members increased in number to 12 and there are 2 Honorary Members. During the year 45 New Members, 36 Subscribers and 8 Lady Subscribers were elected as against resignations from 37 Members, 52 Subscribers and 16 Lady Subscribers.

Twenty Admiralty Warrants to fly the defaced Blue Ensign are held by Members.

During the year the Committee decided to sell the Club Yacht "Carpenter" which had shown a loss on working account for several seasons. Mr. E. W. Carpenter's name will be perpetuated in the new Clubhouse in a suitable manner.

The Middle Island Clubhouse has been more widely patronised during the year both by oarsmen and sailing members. The Opening Cruise had to be curtailed owing to a typhoon threat, but a most successful Closing Cruise, Dinner Dance and Prizegiving was held there at the beginning of May. The dance at Repulse Bay Hotel was attended by nearly three hundred members and their guests.

## BASEBALL:

## CHARITY MATCH SUCCESS: PREPARING FOR SOFTBALL SEASON: MEETING HELD

Local baseball fans voluntarily donated generously to the funds of the Hongkong Women's Soldiers Relief Association, at the charity match between China and America on Sunday last.

The Chinese were not at full strength and were further handicapped when George Wu twisted his ankle midway through the game, but, for five innings, held the winners scoreless until Huiler Hank Chang weakened in the sixth, to allow the Yanks to tally five times in the last two frames, to take the honours by a 5-1 margin.

With the exception of "Dutch" Lingenbrink, America's representatives were all drawn from the U.S.S. Tulsa. Miles pitching to Costello, behind the plate, had the Chinese boys tied in knots for the full distance, striking out 10 batters and issuing only 3 free passes.

Vetkoetter kept guard over the initial sack in fine style, and had a great day with the hickory, connecting safely four times for a 1,000 batting average. Baker, Rabbachi and Lingenbrink had little to do on defence, but the lastnamed garnered two useful bingles.

## RARELY TESTED

With the Chinese unable to hit Miles' slants and benders, the gardeners were rarely tested. Hank Chang started off well on the mound for the losers, but rattled badly at the business end of the game. "Dynamo" Ho tried hard to keep Chang steady and did a great job behind the plate. Nip Lum was the first keeper of the Keystone sack but shifted to the Hot Corner, when George Wu was switched to hobble around the initial sack.

Wally Ching drew rounds of applause for some brilliant work at the Windy Alley, but failed badly with the bat in the clean-up position. Jesse Arcelli filled in for the Chinese at rightfield and showed some fancy fly-snagging.

A. Li saved the Chinese from the indignity of being whitewashed when he slashed a three bagger along the rightfield foul line, to drive in P. F. Choy for the losers' only tally.

## SOFTBALL SEASON PREPARATIONS

In preparation for the coming softball season, the Hongkong Softball Association held a meeting at the Club Lusitano on Tuesday evening.

The constitution of the newly formed Association was read and approved, and it was decided to invite entries for the Men's, Hong and Ladies' Leagues, the closing date to be September 22, 1939 at 5.30 p.m. Clubs competing in these three leagues must become affiliated to the Association and will be charged a fee of \$100 per annum.

After the Association meeting had been adjourned, the Men's League held an election of officers for the coming year, resulting as follows: Chairman: L. R. Debonso; Hon. Secretary: R. Lau; Treasurer: E. J. Porter.

League representatives to serve on the management committee of the Hongkong Softball Association: H. A. Barros, R. Lau and F. J. Molten.

## RESOLUTION PASSED

The committee passed a resolution that no entry be accepted from any team bearing a trade name, or any name which, in the opinion of the committee, can be abbreviated or interpreted in such manner as to gain publicity for any commercial product or project.

This regulation was passed in order to ensure that all competing teams would be protected against any taint of commercialism or professionalism.

Teams will be required to take the field in uniform colours and all lettering and insignias borne by any uniforms will be subject to the approval of the committee.

All competing teams or clubs will be required to nominate one official scorer. The entrance fee was fixed at \$20 per team; balls to be supplied by the league.

## FIRST APPEARANCE IN PUBLIC SINCE WAR DECLARATION

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuters).—The King and Queen visited civil defence posts yesterday, the King wearing the uniform of a Field-Marshal. He has been in uniform ever since the war started, and has instructed all the Palace staff to do the same when on duty.

The Queen spent over an hour in the joint headquarters of the Red Cross Society and the St. John's Ambulance. She inspected the air raid shelters and then toured the premises. Every worker on duty was presented to her.

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- 13—It relieves ill after effects of Alcohol.
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## U.S. Cotton Market

### TARIFF PROTECTION ACCEPTED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—Accepting the recommendations of tariff, President Roosevelt issued a proclamation forbidding the imports of cotton and cotton-waste to protect the American market from subsidised imports.

#### COTTON CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—After hearing the opening address, the Cotton Conference decided to adjourn for the present with officials seeing little hope of success in view of the international situation.

Nine of the accepting countries were represented.

Mr. Henry Wallace, Secretary for Agriculture, told the Conference that the war was making the problems of disposal of American surplus of disposal rather than easier. He expressed the opinion that it was likely that any increase in the use of cotton for military purposes would more than set off by the decreased use for ordinary purposes.

### U.S. SHIPPING SERVICES TO FAR EAST

SHANGHAI, Sept. 6 (Int'l).—With the possible decrease of British and French shipping in the Far East, as a result of the war in Europe, a report was current today in waterfront circles that two American companies will operate steamship service between the Orient and Europe.

The only service at present has been maintained by the American President Lines.

### ARMS MANUFACTURE DROPS IN JAPAN

SHANGHAI, Sept. 6 (Int'l).—Manufacture of armaments in Japan is subject to decrease and delay owing to the difficulty of securing raw materials from Europe and America, which have

## LONDON UNDER WAR CONDITIONS: WOMEN AND GIRLS SEEKING WAR EMPLOYMENT

### GERMAN-TURKISH TRADE PACT NOT RENEWED

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Information states that it is reported from Ankara that the German-Turkish Commercial Treaty, which expired on August 31, has not been renewed.

### FOUR CHINESE BANKS TO MOVE TO KUNMING

KUNMING, Sept. 6 (Int'l).—The head offices of the Central Bank of China, Bank of China, the Farmers' Bank and the Bank of Communications, which have their head offices in Hongkong following the fall of Shanghai, will be re-established here.

The head offices of these four banks will have direct control over the branches in Shanghai.

It is reported that the head office of the Bank of Communications may, however, be removed to Manila.

The second payment of the interest of the \$500,000,000 Liberty Bonds issued by the Chinese Government soon after the start of the Sino-Japanese hostilities to enlarge the war chest will be paid also in Shanghai through the Central Bank of China (Shanghai Office) in Avenue du Roi Albert. Payments can be obtained in a day or two although officially all holders of the bonds here should obtain their payments on the day set for making payments.

to preserve their resources to carry on the war of for war preparations. Many countries in Europe and America have banned the export of steel, oil, scrap iron, cotton and minerals.

### Rush Of Young Couples To Get Married

#### Small Newspapers And Scarcity Of Taxi-Cabs.

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—The conspicuous reduction of the size of newspapers by half and the scarcity of taxi-cabs, a large number of which have been reserved for emergency fire service, are the chief outward signs of London at war.

Overhead, hundreds of barrage balloons shine like globules of mercury against an azure sky. It is now stated that 65,000 children and other priority classes have evacuated from London in the past three and a half days without a hitch or casualty, and 20,000 volunteers indefatigably helped in this work.

#### RECORDS BROKEN

The rush of young couples to marry began on Friday beats all records of the last war and long queues are waiting at every registrar's office either to be married or to give notice of marriage. There were numerous applications for special licences.

There are similar queues of Germans and Austrians outside the police stations to register their names and addresses whence they are not permitted to move five miles without authority. Official notices emphasize that Czechs will not be required to register.

#### WOMEN KEEN

The offices of the Women's Volunteer Services at Westminster are crowded with girls seeking war employment, many of them being shop girls, since many of the stores are now cutting down their staffs. Applications for land army service are particularly keen.

The Women's Auxiliary Air Force is now on a war footing and is being increased to the 25,000 needed as cooks, orderlies, clerks, store-keepers, supply drivers, fabric-makers and first aid.

#### TEA CONTROL

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—Orders have been issued fixing the provisional prices for tea and bringing under control the wholesale and import trade of tea. The Food Department is taking over all stocks in bond in the United Kingdom and all arriving hereafter. Wholesale and retail prices must not exceed those current at week ending on Aug. 26.

#### SPECIAL POWERS

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—The Minister of Labour has now been given special powers to control labour during the emergency. Employers will not be able to engage men without his consent. Sir John Anderson, the new Home Secretary, hopes to arrange with him for using the services of refugees who are anxious to serve Britain.

#### COMMONS TO ADJOURN

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Neville Chamberlain announced that the House will adjourn on Sep. 7 until Sept. 13 unless special circumstances warranted a recall.

#### DUAL DUTIES

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—An Order-in-Council to be issued on Thursday will make Mr. Ernest Brown both Minister of Labour and Minister of National Services.

#### RAISED TO PEERAGE

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—On his appointment as Lord High Chancellor, Sir Thomas Inskip, former Secretary for the Dominions, has been raised to the Peerage with the title of Viscount Caldecote.

#### CAMBRIDGE STUDENTS

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—Cambridge University is to make no change in the Michaelmas Term and students who have not been called up, or are not expected to be called up, will be permitted to come into residence.

#### VOLUNTEER SERVICE

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—The formation of a station in London of a volunteer ambulance service composed entirely of volunteers from India, the Straits Settlements and other British Malayan states has been approved by the L.C.C.

### ACTIVITIES OF TRIAD SOCIETY

#### "HIGH OFFICIAL" CAUGHT

Alleged to be a recruiting agent for a Triad Society and described as being of the "Vanguard of the Society," Lau Chiu, 24 years of age, was fined \$300, or, in default, four months with hard labour, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, at the Kowloon Court yesterday, and is to be recommended for banishment.

#### RITUAL IN BOOK

In his possession, the police stated, was found a pocketbook, a translation of which from the Chinese revealed a series of "Questions" and "Answers" tending to show, the police believed, that the defendant was a fairly high official of the Triad Society, and styled as a "Vanguard," who was detailed to take initiates into the presence of the "Grand Master of the Lodge" and to the initiation ceremony.

The defendant was arrested by Chinese Detective No. 355, Mul Siu-kei, in Temple Street, on August 28, when a pocketbook and a lead pencil was found on his person. The pocketbook contained passages used in the Society's ritual.

#### DEFENDANT'S STORY

Defendant denied he had any association whatever with the Triad Society, and claimed that the passages on rituals that could be connected with the Triad Society were written in by a friend to whom he had loaned the book. He further stated he was unable to read.

Electing to make a statement in his defence from the witness-box, defendant was cross-examined by Det.-Insp. A. E. Carey, who prosecuted.

In reply to questions, he said he lived at No. 17, Gillies Avenue, and had been unemployed two months. He had been looking for work. Defendant would give no reason for his permitting a friend to write in his pocketbook, and admitted that the "friend" had got him into trouble.

#### MANY COMPLAINTS

In requesting the Magistrate to take a serious view of the case, Insp. Carey explained that the Triad Society in Kowloon had grown considerably in size in the course of the last year. It was, also, extremely difficult to find incriminating documents of the kind found on the defendant.

There had been many complaints received from the Kaitongs lately, not only of Yau-mat, but of Kowloon City and Hungshom. In respect of members of the society who, the kaitongs complained, attended, unasked for, at funerals, where these Triad agents spread recruiting propaganda urging attendants to become members of the Society.

"We intend to break it up," Det.-Insp. Carey concluded, referring to the Society.

### CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

#### PRINCE LINE

##### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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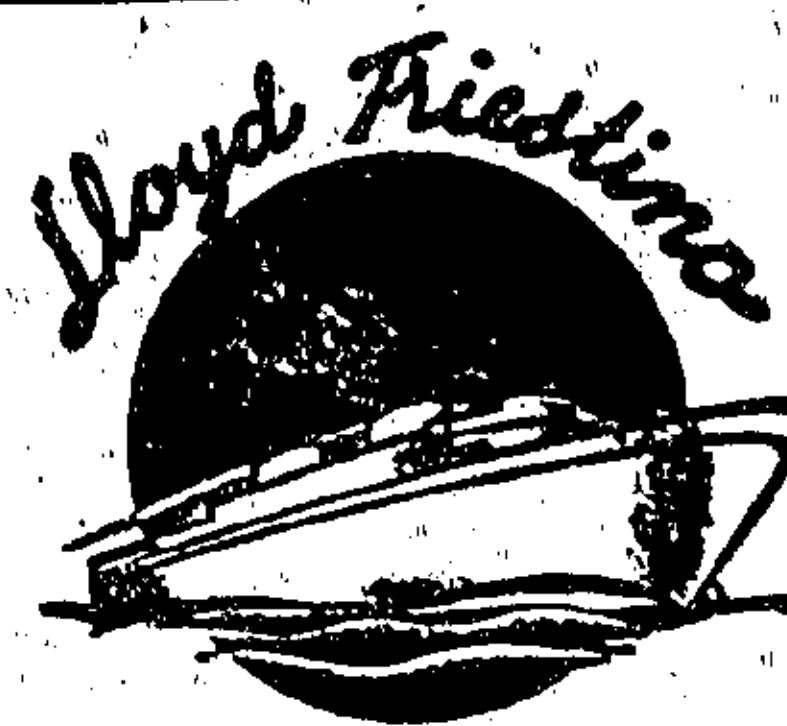
having arrived from the above Ports on 4th instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 9th instant, at 10 a.m.

All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 11th inst., 1939, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by FURNESS (FAR EAST), LTD. 2nd Floor, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building. Dials 23165 & 23169. Hong Kong, 4th Sept., 1939.



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#### SCHEDULE OF SAILING FROM HONGKONG

TO MANILA, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, EGYPT & ITALY.

a.s. "GIULIO CESARE" 10th Sept.  
a.s. "C. BIANCAMANO" 18th Sept.  
a.s. "CONTE VERDE" 29th Sept.  
m.v. "VICTORIA" 14th Oct.  
a.s. "CONTE ROSSO" 5th Nov.

TO SHANGHAI

a.s. "C. BIANCAMANO" 10th Sept.  
a.s. "CONTE VERDE" 22nd Sept.  
m.v. "VICTORIA" 7th Oct.  
a.s. "CONTE ROSSO" 29th Oct.  
a.s. "C. BIANCAMANO" 18th Nov.

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Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 9th Sept., 1939, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 8th Sept., 1939, at 10 a.m. by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Handed Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 9th Sept., 1939, or they will not be recognised.

No Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JENSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 3rd Sept., 1939

#### SERVICES CONTRACTUALS DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

##### CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

S.S. "YANG TSE" 10th/9/39.

BRINGING CARGO FROM DUNKIRK via HAIPHONG etc.

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON FRIDAY, 1st SEPT., 1939.

CONSIGNEES are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed & stored into the godowns of the Hong Kong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 12th Sept., 1939, or they will not be recognised.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, the 7th Sept., 1939.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL, Agent.

Hong Kong, 1st Sept., 1939.

### LAMMERTS' AUCTIONS

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#### A FEW PIECES OF BLACKWOOD FURNITURE

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ON VIEW FROM THURSDAY, the 7th SEPTEMBER, 1939.

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# Finance and Commerce

## MONEY AND EXCHANGE

### CLOSING QUOTATIONS

SEPTEMBER 1939	
On London:	
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 13/16	
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 13/16	
Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 3/4	
On Shanghai:	
On demand	290
On Singapore:	
On demand	29 1/2
On Japan:	
On demand	105 1/2
On India:	
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 1/2	
On demand	82 1/2
On New York:	
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 1/2	
Credits, 60 days' sight 1/2 7/16	
On Batavia:	
On demand	45 1/2
On Paris:	
Bank Bills, on demand 105	
Credits 4 months' sight 105	
On Saigon:	
On demand	106 1/2
On Manila:	
On demand	49
On Bangkok:	
On demand	150 1/4
Sterling Notes:	
Bank Buying Rate 1/3 1/4	
Bar Silver per oz.	19 3/4

### Market Report

**FROM ROZA BROS.**  
There were no Silver quotations this morning.  
London/New York cross-rate, sellers 402, buyers 405.  
New York/London 407 3/4.

**Market.**  
Quiet for Sterling. U.S. Dollar was easier during the early part of the morning but subsequently the market appeared a shade steadier.

**Sterling.**  
Business was done during the course of the morning at 1/3 1/2 for Cash and 1/3 1/2 December. 1/2 31/32 was also done for January. The market closed with sellers at 1/3 1/2 September and 1/2 31/32 October/December, probably January, buyers at 1/3 1/2 for Cash and 1/3 October.

**U.S. Dollars.**  
Opened with sellers at 25 1/8, buyers bidding 25 1/4. Subsequently business was done at 25 for September followed by transactions at 25 for Cash and 24 15/16 and 24 7/8 for September. The market closed with sellers at 25 for Cash and 24 7/8 September, buyers at 25 1/8 for Cash and 25 September.

**Shanghai Dollars.**  
Opened at 345 with business done subsequently at 355 and 365. At the close there were probable sellers at 365 for Spot.

**Shanghai Market.**  
Opened with sellers at 45 1/2 but towards the close sellers were reported only at 44 for cash.

**Shanghai Exchange.**  
Shanghai, Sept. 4 (Reuter).

Official T.T. Rates	Opening	Closing
London	0/4	0/4
New York	6-3/4	6-3/4
Japan	28-1/2	28-1/2
India	22-1/4	22-1/4
Paris	2-90	2-90
Hongkong	26-1/2	26-1/2

Sterling	Opening	Closing
Spot	0/4-1/4	0/3-31/32
Sept.	0/4-1/4	0/3-31/32

U.S. Dollars	Spot	Sept.
Sept.	77-9/32	78-3/4
Sept.	7-3/16	6-5/8

**Merchant Rates.**  
Sterling, 0/3-7/8.  
U.S. Dollars, 78-9/16.

### New York Exchange

New York, Sept. 5 (Reuter).  
T.T. on London (Opening Rate), 4.02 to 4.06.

**NEW YORK SILVER.**  
New York, Sept. 5 (Reuter).  
Official Price, 35-1/2.

## HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS ASSOCIATION

Volume of Business Transacted on Tuesday, Sept. 1939.	
Unions	21 \$330.00
H.K. Hotels	500 4.00
Wednesday, Sept. 1939.	
H.K. Banks	5 \$1,200.00
Itogons	30,000 Ps. 0.20

## H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

Enquiries continue to enter the market and buyers are increasing their bids, but holders are not displaying any anxiety to supply the demand at the prices offered.

### PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING QUOTATIONS

Atoks	17 1/2
Antomaks	17 1/2
Baguio Gold	15
Batong Buhay	0.11
Benguet Consol.	0.09-30
Big Wedge	17
Coco Grove	18
Consol. Mines	0.025
Demonstration	0.072
I. X. L.	38
Ipo Gold	13 1/2
Itogon Mining	20 1/2
Manibulo Consol.	0.06
Manibulo Consol.	0.08
Mindanao Motherlode	0.062
Mine Operation	11
North Camarines	18
Paracale Guinamas	14
San Maurice	80
Surigao Consol.	19
Suyoc Consol.	11 1/2

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATION

STOCKS	Last Sale Sept. 5	STOCKS	Last Sale Sept. 5
Adams Express	10 1/2	Int. Tel. & Tel.	4
Allegheny Steel Co.	24 1/2	Johns Manville	62
Allied Stores	9 1/2	J. & Laughlin Steel	57 1/2
Allis Chalmers	40 1/2	Kennecott Copper	44
Aluminum Ltd.	130	Lakey Foundry & Mac.	34 1/2
Amerasia Corp.	69	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	43 1/2
Amer. Can.	106 1/2	Lockheed Aircraft	27 1/2
American Cyanamid B.	34 1/2	Loew's Inc.	32
Amer. & Foreign Power	21	Manhattan Shirt Co.	—
Amer. & Foreign P. pf.	18 1/2	Martin, Glen L.	34 1/2
American Gas & Elec.	33 1/2	McKesson, Robbins	17 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	21 1/2	Montano Chemical	109 1/2
Amer. Metals Co.	36 1/2	Montgomery Ward	48 1/2
Amer. Radiator	9 1/2	National Cash Register Co.	15 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	19 1/2	Nat. Dairy Products	15 1/2
Amer. S. & W. R. Co.	55 1/2	Nat. Distillers	22 1/2
Amer. Sugar Ref.	34	National Gypsum	9 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	16 1/2	National Lead	25
Amer. Tobacco "B"	78 1/2	Nat. Power & Light	8 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	10 1/2	National Steel Corp.	74 1/2
Anacostia Copper	38 1/2	Nat. Supply Corp.	9 1/2
Atchafalpa T. & S. Fe.	28	New York Central	18 1/2
Auburn Motors	2	Niagara Hudson Power	6 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	5 1/2	N. American Aviation	18 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co.	13 1/2	North American Co.	21
Barnsdall Oil	17 1/2	Northern Pacific	9 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	82 1/2	Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	57 1/2
Bills & Co.	17 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec.	30
Boeing Airplane Co.	26	Pacific Lighting	45
Borg-Warner	24	Packard Motors	44
Biggs Manufacturing	22	Paramount Pictures	6 1/2
Brooklyn-Mhattan Trans.	10 1/2	Pennsylvania R.R.	19
B'klyn-Mhattan S. cum pf.	4 1/2	Phelps-Dodge	44
Canadian Pacific Rwy.	4 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	44 1/2
Celanese	25 1/2	Public Service of N.J.	37 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	35 1/2	Pullman Inc.	30
Chrysler Corp.	83 1/2	Pure Oil	11
Colts Patent Fire-Arms	92	Radio Corp. of Am.	6
Columbia Gas & El.	7 1/2	Reading Company, Com.	14
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	80 1/2	Reading Company, 1st pf.	21
Commercial	43 1/2	Remington Arms Co., Inc.	5 1/2
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	63 1/2	Republic Steel	28 1/2
C. Wealth & S. 8% cum pf.	63 1/2	Reynold Tobacco "B"	38 1/2
Consolidated Edison	30 1/2	Richfield Oil	9 1/2
Consolidated Oil	9 1/2	Safeway Stores	41
Continental Can	44 1/2	Schenley Distillers	12 1/2
Continental Oil	30	Schenley, 5 1/2 pf.	70
Corn Products	80	Sears Roebuck	74 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C.)	6 1/2	Servco Aircraft	3 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A"	25 1/2	Shell Union Oil	15 1/2
Deere & Co.	22	Secon-Vacuum Oil	14 1/2
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	15	Southern Pacific	13 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	72	Southern Ry. 5% pf.	24 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	183	Sperry	47 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	14 1/2	Standard Brands	62
Easton Mfg. Co.	26	Standard Gas & Elec.	3
Elec. Autolite	35 1/2	Standard Oil of California	30
Elec. Bond & Share	8 1/2	Standard Oil of N.J.	42 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 35 pf.	62	Stone & Webster	10 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 35 pf.	70 1/2	Swift International	34 1/2
Elec. Power & Light 35 pf.	30 1/2	Technicolor	10 1/2
Floodkote	15 1/2	Texas Corp.	46 1/2
Flint Machinery Corp.	34	Texas Gulf Sulphur	35
Gen. American Trans.	52 1/2	Trans-America Co.	5 1/2
Gen. Electric	39 1/2	20th Cent. Fox	13 1/2
Gen. Motors	40 1/2	20th Cent. Fox 5 1/2 pf.	23 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal	21 1/2	Union Carbide & Carbon	90
General Tire & Rubber Co.	17 1/2	Union Pacific	99
Gildden Co.	18	United Aircraft	39 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.)	23 1/2	United Airlines Trans.	10 1/2
Goodrich 35 pf.	87 1/2	United Corp.	34
Goodyear Tire & Co.	30 1/2	United Gas Corp.	2 1/2
Great Northern Iron Ore	18 1/2	United Gas Improvement	13 1/2
Great Northern Ry. pf.	26 1/2	U.S. Rubber	46
Great Western Sugar	37 1/2	U.S. Rubber 35 pf.	109
Grayhound Corp.	15 1/2	U.S. Steel	68 1/2
Hecker Products	12 1/2	Vanadium	31 1/2
Hercules Powder Co.	90 1/2	Warner Bros. Pict.	5 1/2
Homestake Mining	69 1/2	Westinghouse Elec.	112 1/2
Industrial Rayon	23	Woodward Iron Cor.	28 1/2
International Harvester	64 1/2	Chase National Bank	31 1/2
Int. Nickel	54 1/2	National City Bank	25 1/2

\*-bid. -ex. div.

DOW JONES AVERAGE					
1939			Sept. 3, 1939		
High	Low	Close	High	Low	Close
164.75	161.44	30 Industrials	164.75		
34.33	34.14	30 Rails	34.33		
37.07	37.01	30 Utilities	37.07		Unreceived
58.28	58.11	30 Bonds	58.28		
61.80	61.69	30 Commodity Index	61.80		
			Unsettled Data:—Unreceived		



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Authorized Capital.....\$50,000,000  
Issued & Fully Paid-Up \$30,000,000  
Reserve Funds:  
Sterling.....£ 2,500,000  
H.K. Currency Reserve \$10,000,000  
Reserve Liability of  
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Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.

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Paid-Up Capital.....5,598,600.00  
Reserve and Undivided  
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"I HAVE BEEN A

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MAN WHO EARNED

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When Henry Richard Philip

Paton, 26, of Bradford, was charged

at Manchester with obtaining

credit and money, amounting to

£17, by false pretences, he put in

a statement that he had never been

taught to appreciate the value of

money.

Det. Calder read Paton's state-

ment, in which he said he was

living at home at Harrow-on-Hill

until early last month, when he

had a row with his father over

some debts and left.

Paton then described how he

had gone about the country, stay-

ing at the best hotels and hiring

cars and calling on friends to get

them to cash cheques which were

worthless.

Among those who had cashed

cheques for him were Mr. Jewell,

manager of the Norwich Football

Club, and Mr. Scott Duncan, man-

ager of the Ipswich Football Club.

The statement proceeded: "Since

the age of 21 I have been given too

much freedom. I was put into

business on a commission basis by

my father, and earned good money,

usually about £1,000 a year. At the

same time my father was giving

me whatever money I required.

"After a row with my father and

leaving home I continued to live in

my old style. I have been a fool to

myself."

Mr. A. Gardiner, who defended,

asked that Paton should be given

another chance, and said his father

would find a home and clothe him,

but he would have to make his own

living. The people who had been

defrauded would be reimbursed.

Paton was put on probation for

two years.

## America's Neutrality Proclamation

## WHAT AMERICANS MAY NOT DO

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull signed the Proclamation of Neutrality, which will come into effect immediately.

The Presidential Secretary, Mr. Stephen Early, announced that the proclamation was based on international law and had no connection with the Neutrality Act.

## SEVENTEEN CLAUSES

It is understood that it consists of 4,000 words and contains seventeen clauses, listing various things which Americans may not do—for example, to enlist in foreign armies or to subscribe money for the war.

A Proclamation under the Neutrality Act is under consideration.

## BELGIAN NEUTRALITY

LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—Belgium has again emphasized her determination to remain neutral.

The new Cabinet says that this neutrality will be observed loyally, and that the Belgian Army will defend it.

The British Ambassador in Brussels said yesterday that Britain appreciates unreservedly Belgium's reasons and has never questioned the wisdom or loyalty of this policy.

## WIFE'S SUICIDE AS FORECAST

## Her Belief In A Phrenologist

A phrenologist's statement that she would commit suicide made a lasting impression on Mrs. Rachel Da Costa Andre Brown, 57, of Percy-road, Bexley Heath, Kent, it was stated at a Lewisham inquest.

Found with her head in a gas oven, she died later in hospital.

Her husband, Mr. Percy Edward Brown, said that latterly she had wanted to die and to be with her mother.

"Some years ago," Mr. Brown continued, "a phrenologist told her that she would commit suicide, and she has always believed it, and always said, 'That will be my end.'"

She was never short of money and had a little of her own, but she had given it all away. She became weak-minded lately.

When he left her to go to Cambridge on business she said: "You had better go and do your work, but you will never see me again." There had been no quarrel and he did not know what she meant by the remark.

## FOND OF LODGER

"She was very fond of a lodger who left eight months ago," Mr. Brown added, "I said, 'If you are fond of him, you can have the house and everything. I will sacrifice it for your happiness,' but he the lodger, would not take the responsibility."

A letter left by Mrs. Brown was produced in court, and Mr. Brown said:

"I should never be surprised at things she might say like that. I think her affection was gradually turning from this young lodger. He used to take her out in the car for joy rides. I think it worried her. She did not want to leave me because I have been more of a father to her than a husband. We managed to live together for 12 years in the same house."

A verdict that Mrs. Brown took her life whilst the balance of her mind was affected by ill-health and worry was recorded.

In view of the dire need for relief for the hundreds of thousands of flood refugees in Tientsin and elsewhere in north China, the China International Famine Relief Commission at 505 Honan Road is now conducting relief activities for the flood victims. Its vice-chairman, Mr. D. W. Edwards, is now in the field investigating and arranging relief measures that can be effectively undertaken.

In order to carry out these measures, the Commission appeals to the Shanghai public for funds. The funds thus received will be transmitted to responsible committees on the spot of which the provincial committees of the C.I.F.R.C. are members. All donations should be sent to the Commission's office at 505 Honan Road, Shanghai.

## GERMAN WORKER DO NOT WANT WAR

## "WE LOVE OUR COUNTRY, BUT WE HAVE NOTHING IN COMMON WITH THE PRESENT REGIME"

LONDON, SEPT. 6 (REUTER).—"GERMAN WORKERS AND PEASANTS DO NOT WANT WAR," SAYS A MESSAGE FROM THE GERMAN INDEPENDENT SOCIALISTS TO THE BRITISH INDEPENDENT LABOUR PARTY.

The statement, which was written on the eve of the outbreak of war, says: "Though we love our native country, we have nothing in common with the present regime. In our illegal pamphlets, which have spread even among fortification workers who are watched by the Gestapo, we protested against the occupation of Austria, the annexation of Czechoslovakia and Herr Hitler's policy of aggression and war."

"In the midst of death and destruction don't forget the ideals for which we died—under torture or suffered in concentration camps. Like you, we love our country, but our common fatherland is humanity."

## ALLEGED COINER A "WONDERFUL WORKER"

## Police Tribute At Inquest

A man who died on the day he should have stood his trial on charges of making counterfeit coins was described by a detective at a Comberwell inquest recently as "a most wonderful worker."

A verdict of death from natural causes was recorded on John B. Huggett, 36, who died in St. Giles' Hospital, Comberwell, where he had undergone an operation for a perforated gastric ulcer.

Det.-Serg. Blacktop said that Huggett was alleged to have made counterfeit 1936 florins. He was arrested on April 27 at his lodgings in Railway-street, King's Cross.

"Huggett came to the door," said Serg. Blacktop, "and as I went into his room I saw a ladle containing some white metal on a lighted gas ring."

"On a tray there was a lot of loose white metal, mould, and two counterfeit coins. I went up to them, but he said, 'Do not touch them; they are hot.' An electric battery was connected for plating the coins."

## "EXCELLENT SPECIMENS"

The Coroner, Mr. A. Douglas Cowburn: Have the police reason to suspect that he had been doing this for some time?—Yes; his last employment was in 1936, and he has made no claim for unemployment benefit since then.

When Serg. Blacktop said that the Mint officials regarded the coins as excellent specimens, the Coroner remarked: "Then I hope to goodness they have got them all."

Putting his hand in his pocket, he examined his silver and, finding a 1936 florin, handed it to the sergeant, who, after scrutinising it, said it was genuine.

Asked how moulds were obtained to reproduce the coins so clearly, Serg. Blacktop said that the moulds were made in plaster of paris. "The plaster was put in a clamp and a genuine florin inserted to give an impression. The coin was removed and then liquid white metal poured in."

"He must have been a most wonderful worker," he added, "because the coins were made with the milled edge on them. Usually counterfeiters have to put that edge on with a milling tool. These are the first counterfeit coins I have seen with a milled edge already on."

## JAPANESE SHIPS TO SAIL VIA PANAMA

TOKYO, SEPT. 6 (REUTER).—Ten Japanese steamers in European waters have been ordered to return home through the Panama Canal instead of via the Suez Canal.

The vessels bound for Europe will sail via the Mediterranean for the time being, but in the event of the hostilities spreading there, the Panama Canal route will be used for outward and homeward voyages to and from Europe.

London, instead of Hamburg, is now the terminus of the Japanese steamship service to Europe, in view of the blockade of the North Sea by the British Navy.

## MR. EDEN'S NEW POST

## CLOSE TOUCH WITH DOMINIONS

LONDON, SEPT. 6 (REUTER).—Mr. Anthony Eden, new Secretary of the Dominions, has sent messages to the Governments of Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and Elre.

He says that in his new office he is to have special access to the War Cabinet so that he can keep the Dominions in close touch. He says he is happy to come to his new post with many happy recollections of meetings with ministers and others connected with the Commonwealth.

## BRITISH COLONIES



# CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

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TOURANT, SAIGON & BANGKOK "KIANGSU" ... On 8th Sept. 10 a.m.	On 10th Sept. 3 p.m.
AMOI & SEANGHAI "SUZYANG" ... On 10th Sept. 3 p.m.	On 12th Sept. 3 p.m.
CANTON, S'KAI, THINGTAO, W.H.W. "FATSHAN" ... On 12th Sept. 3 p.m.	
CHIEFOO & TIENTSIN "YUNNAN" ... On 13th Sept. 5 p.m.	On 15th Sept. 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN & HAIPHONG "JEAN DUPUIS" ... On 13th Sept. 4 p.m.	
PAKHOI & HOIHOW "KIANGCHOW" ... On 13th Sept. 10 a.m.	On 14th Sept. 3 p.m.
SEANGHAI "TAIYUAN" ... On 14th Sept. 3 p.m.	On 15th Sept. 10 a.m.
SAIGON & TOURANT "KALGAN" ... On 15th Sept. 10 a.m.	On 16th Sept. 3 p.m.
BANGKOK "NANNING" ... On 16th Sept. 3 p.m.	On 18th Sept. 4 p.m.
SEANGHAI "SOOCHOW" ... On 18th Sept. 4 p.m.	
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## WEATHER REPORT

### HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., Sept. 6.  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.83 ins.  
Temperature, 85 F.  
Humidity, 81 per cent.  
Wind Direction, E.S.E.  
Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.  
Temperature: maximum yesterday, 88 F.  
Temperature: minimum last night, 78 F.  
Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th to-day, 0.15 ins.  
Total rainfall since January 1st, 78.12 ins.  
Against an average of, 69.25 ins.  
Sunset to-night, 6.37 p.m.  
Sunrise to-morrow, 6.07 a.m.  
4 p.m., Sept. 6.  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.78 ins.  
Temperature, 83 F.  
Humidity, 83 per cent.  
Wind Direction, E/S.  
Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 7 to 13 Sept. 1939

HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
Day of Week	Date	Time	Height
Thurs.	7	h.m.	ft. in.
		16 12	6 8
		18 12	10 10
Fri.	8	03 10	4 2
		07 12	19 12
		18 10	11 20
		04 25	6 9
		19 10	12 22
Sat.	9	05 45	7 1
		19 50	13 8
		06 23	7 4
		20 26	14 00
Mon.	11	07 55	7 5
		21 00	14 40
Tue.	12	09 50	8 7
		23 00	15 12
Wed.	13	11 35	8 1
		24 15	15 12

Maximum temperature, 86 F.  
Minimum temperature, 76 F.  
Rainfall, 0.03.

## ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONGKONG

### NORTHWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 8.  
Cramer, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.

Chiaofoo  
Loochang, Jardine's, Sept. 8.  
Chakung, Jardine's, Sept. 10.  
Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Taisang, Jardine's, Sept. 13.  
Mingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

Chingwangtao  
Philoctetes, B. & S., Sept. 10.  
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 13.

Dairen  
Tyndarus, B. & S., Sept. 12.

Japan  
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Pres. Pierce, A. P. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Tallierand, Thoresen's, Sept. 10.  
Malaya, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 13.  
Moerkker, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 13.  
Denbighshire, Jardine's, Sept. 14.  
Taima, B. I. (Apcar), Sept. 14.  
Athos II Messageries, Sept. 15.  
Shantung, Gilman's, Sept. 17.  
Islam, Jardine's, Sept. 19.  
Haruna, Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 21.  
Tosan Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 22.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.  
Felix Rousseau, Messageries, Sept. 23.  
Santha B. I. (Apcar), Sept. 23.  
Bhutan, P. & O., Sept. 23.

Shanghai  
Loochang, Jardine's, Sept. 8.  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 8.  
Sinking, B. & S., Sept. 9.  
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Suivang, B. & S., Sept. 9.  
Chakung, Jardine's, Sept. 10.  
Tallierand, Thoresen's, Sept. 10.  
Philoctetes, B. & S., Sept. 10.  
Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Tyndarus, B. & S., Sept. 12.  
Malaya, B. & S., Sept. 12.  
Glenapp, Jardine's, Sept. 13.  
Taisang, Jardine's, Sept. 13.  
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 13.  
Moerkker, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 13.  
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 13.  
Kaying, B. & S., Sept. 14.  
Sochow, B. & S., Sept. 15.  
Athos II Messageries, Sept. 15.  
Denbighshire, Jardine's, Sept. 15.  
Shantung, Gilman's, Sept. 17.  
Mingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.  
Boisvauin, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 21.  
Tibbadak, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 21.  
Haruna, Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 22.  
Tosan Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 22.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.  
Felix Rousseau, Messageries, Sept. 23.  
Viceroy of India, P. & O., Sept. 23.  
Bhutan, P. & O., Sept. 23.

Swatow  
Loochang, Jardine's, Sept. 8.  
Chakung, Jardine's, Sept. 10.  
Taisang, Jardine's, Sept. 13.  
Mingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

Taku Bar  
Philoctetes, B. & S., Sept. 10.

Taku  
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 13.

Tientsin  
Loochang, Jardine's, Sept. 8.  
Chakung, Jardine's, Sept. 10.  
Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Taisang, Jardine's, Sept. 13.  
Mingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

Tsingtau  
Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Colburg, Melchers, Sept. 13.  
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 13.

Wei-Hai-Wei  
Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Mingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

### EASTWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Bahia  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 18.  
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.

Baltimore  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 18.  
Houston and New York  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 18.  
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.

Cristobal  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 18.  
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.

Honolulu  
Pres. Pierce, A. P. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 12.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.

Los Angeles  
Pres. Pierce, A. P. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 12.  
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.

Panama  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 18.  
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.

Philadelphia  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 18.

San Francisco  
Pres. Pierce, A. P. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.

Seattle  
Tyndarus, B. & S., Sept. 12.

Vancouver, B.C.  
Tyndarus, B. & S., Sept. 12.

Victoria, B.C.  
Tyndarus, B. & S., Sept. 12.

### SOUTHWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA

Australian Ports, East and West  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Atsuta Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 27.  
Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 30.

Batavia  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 19.

Bangkok  
Roy, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 7.  
Hiram, Thoresen's, Sept. 8.  
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 8.  
Nanning, B. & S., Sept. 15.  
Hallas, Thoresen's, Sept. 20.

## SHIPPING

Batavia  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 12.  
Adrasius, B. & S., Sept. 30.

Belawan-Deli  
Cramer, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 14.

Brisbane  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 30.

Cebu  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 19.

Davao  
Atsuta Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 27.

Haiphong  
Wingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 7.  
Mingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 10.  
Joan Dupuis, B. & S., Sept. 12.  
Huphe, B. & S., Sept. 12.  
Easang, Jardine's, Sept. 14.  
Easang, B. & S., Sept. 14.  
Easang, Jardine's, Sept. 14.  
Wingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

Holhow  
Kingman, B. & S., Sept. 7.  
Klungchow, B. & S., Sept. 13.

Mwanchowwan  
Kingman, B. & S., Sept. 7.  
Hiram, Thoresen's, Sept. 8.  
Seistan, Douglas, Sept. 9.  
Hui Lee, Thoresen's, Sept. 10.  
Joan Dupuis, B. & S., Sept. 12.  
Klungchow, B. & S., Sept. 13.

Makassar  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 19.

Manila  
Roy, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 7.  
Cingalese Prince, Furness, Sept. 7.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, Sept. 14.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 16.  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 19.  
Adrasius, B. & S., Sept. 20.  
Atsuta Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 27.  
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, Sept. 29.  
Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 30.  
Pres. Taft, A. P. Lines, Oct. 1.

Melbourne  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Atsuta Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 27.  
Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 30.

Pakhoi  
Kingman, B. & S., Sept. 7.  
Klungchow, B. & S., Sept. 13.

Rabaul  
Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 30.

Saigon  
Roy, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 7.  
Cingalese Prince, Furness, Sept. 7.  
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 8.  
Hakozaki Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Hui Lee, Thoresen's, Sept. 10.  
Joan Dupuis, B. & S., Sept. 12.  
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.  
Felix Rousseau, Messageries, Sept. 23.  
Viceroy of India, P. & O., Sept. 23.  
Athos II Messageries, Sept. 23.

Sandakan  
Mausang, Jardine's, Sept. 15.

Soerabaya  
T'jinegara, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 19.

Sydney  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Atsuta Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 27.  
Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 30.

Thursday Island  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.  
Atsuta Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 27.

Tourane  
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 8.  
Kalgan, B. & S., Sept. 15.

Townsville  
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 11.

## WESTWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO EUROPE AFRICA, ETC.

Aden  
Somali, P. & O., Sept. 9.  
Hakozaki Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

African Ports  
Tinhov, Bank Line, Sept. 25.

Alexandria  
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, Sept. 14.  
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, Sept. 29.

Algiers  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.

Amsterdam  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.

Antwerp  
Hakozaki Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.  
Glenapp, Jardine's, Sept. 23.  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.  
Tricolor, Thoresen's, Sept. 30.

Bombay  
Somali, P. & O., Sept. 9.  
Kaiyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 11.  
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, Sept. 14.  
Brisbane Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 15.  
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, Sept. 29.

Boston and New York  
Cingalese Prince, Furness, Sept. 7.  
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, Sept. 14.  
Adrasius, B. & S., Sept. 20.  
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, Sept. 29.

Bromborough  
Cyclops, B. & S., Sept. 21.

Calcutta  
Kutsang, Jardine's, Sept. 8.  
Nowhera, B. I. (Apcar), Sept. 9.  
Tusima Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 13.  
Kunming, Jardine's, Sept. 15.  
Naringa, B. I. (Apcar), Sept. 23.

Cassablanca  
Somali, P. & O., Sept. 9.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Glenapp, Jardine's, Sept. 23.  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.

Colonbo  
Hakozaki Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Somali, P. & O., Sept. 9.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Jean Laborde, Messageries, Sept. 14.  
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, Sept. 14.  
Brisbane Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 15.  
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.  
Glenapp, Jardine's, Sept. 23.  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.

Scandinavian Ports  
India, E. A. Co., Sept. 21.  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.  
Tricolor, Thoresen's, Sept. 30.

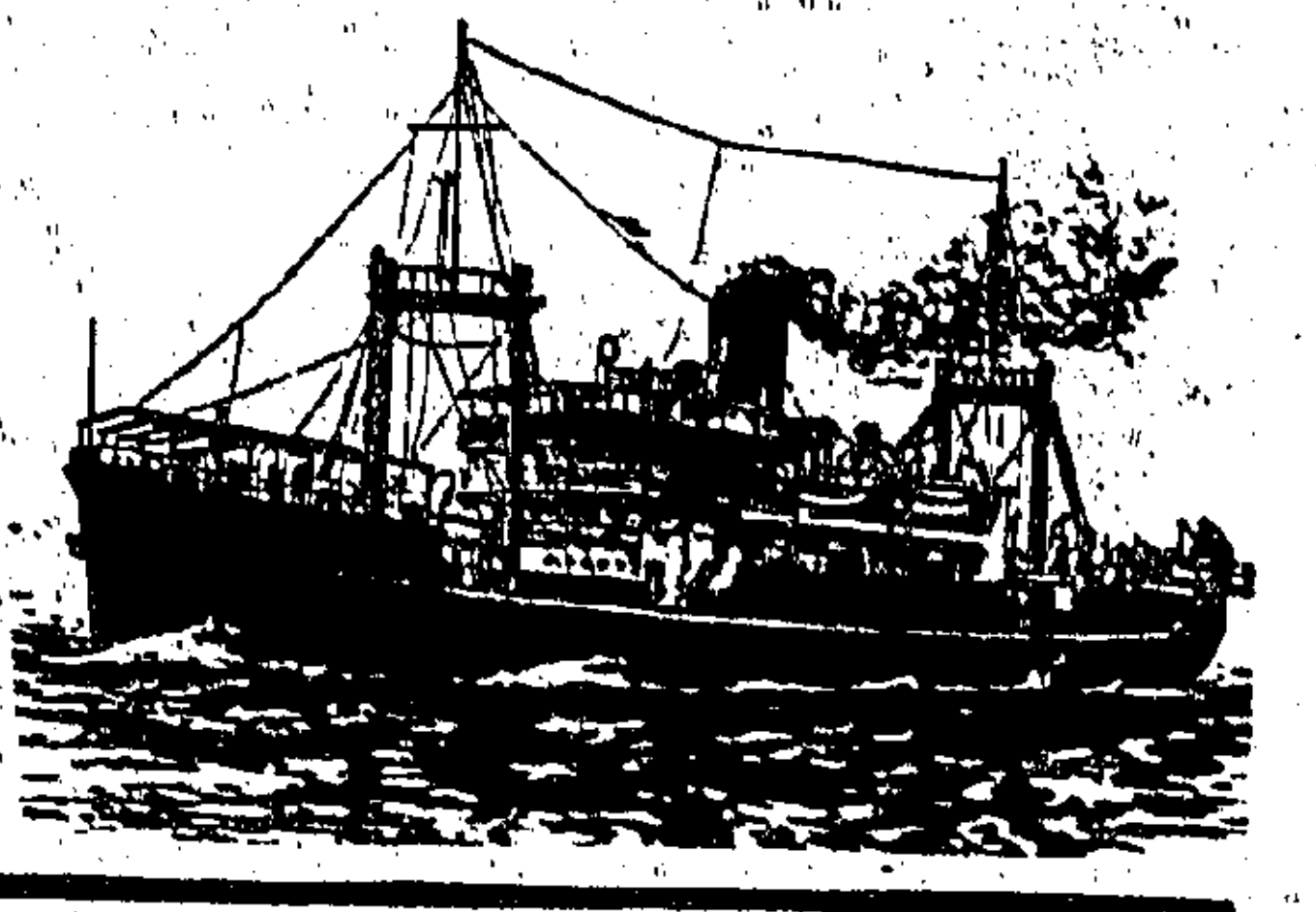
Singapore  
Anhui, B. & S., Sept. 7.  
Nowhera, B. I. (Apcar), Sept. 9.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Naringa, B. I. (Apcar), Sept. 23.  
Glenapp, Jardine's, Sept. 23.

Sourabaya  
Hakozaki Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 9.  
Gaasterkerk, J. C. J. Lines, Sept. 10.  
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.  
Glenapp, Jardine's, Sept. 23.  
Formosa, Gilman's, Sept. 27.  
Tricolor, Thoresen's, Sept. 30.

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India, E. A. Co., Sept. 21.  
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No. A 15—Apocoy  
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No. B 5—Helikon  
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* KAIYO MARU	11th Sept.
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## DUE TO-DAY

Hal Lee, Norwegian, 2,180 regd. tons Capt. M. Worsoe from Rangoon & Spore 9 a.m. at buoy No. B6—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Canton, French, 975 regd. tons Capt. G. Charlot from Haiphong a.m. at buoy No. B7—M.M. (Tel. 26451).

Glenapp, British, 5,802 regd. tons Capt. Atkins from Europe & Straits a.m. at Holt's Wharf—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Yunnan, British, 1,634 registered tons Capt. J. Middleton from Sandakan a.m. at buoy No. B7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Ninghai, British, 1,482 registered tons Capt. W. Paul from Bangkok a.m. at buoy No. B7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Anhui, British, 2,080 regd. tons Capt. L. Evans from S'hai and Amoy a.m. at buoy No. B7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 regd. tons Capt. I. de Lemos from K. C. Wan p.m. at Salkong Wharf—Tal Yau S.S. & Co. (Tel. 27273).

## DUE TO-MORROW

Chak Sang, British, 1,470 regd. tons Capt. L. McRoe from S'hai and Swatow a.m. at West Point Wharf—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Philoctetes, British, 7,212 regd. tons Capt. C. J. Watson from Europe & Straits a.m. at Holt's Wharf—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Nowshera, British, 4,875 regd. tons Capt. D. J. Sinclair from Japan p.m. at buoy No. A2—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Emp. of Asia, British, 8,883 regd. tons Capt. M. Mayall from Vancouver, Japan and S'hai 8 a.m. at K'loon Wharf—C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Somali, British, 3,521 regd. tons Capt. T. H. Kemp from Japan & S'hai a.m. at buoy No. A4—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Irishank, British, 3,412 regd. tons Capt. J. Allen from S'hai a.m. at buoy No. A7—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

## SAILING TO-MORROW

Jenny Moller, British, 1,927 registered tons Capt. M. Campbell from North Point for Haiphong p.m.—Moller Line. (Tel. 25764).

Emp. of Asia, British, 8,883 registered tons Capt. Mayall from K'loon Wharf for Manila p.m.—C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Anhui, British, 2,080 regd. tons Capt. L. Evans from S'hai for Spore, Port Swettenham and Penang—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kut Sang, British, 3,652 regd. tons Capt. D. R. Kilbee from buoy No. A10 for Spore, Penang & Calcutta 2 p.m.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Lee Sang, British, 972 registered tons Capt. C. R. Harris from buoy No. B9 for Swatow, S'hai, Chefoo and T'sin 4 p.m.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Kiangsu, British, 1,555 registered tons Capt. Allinson from buoy No. B3 for Swatow, S'hai, Chefoo and T'sin 4 p.m.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Changon, British, 2,235 regd. tons Capt. L. N. Beer from K. C. Wan at buoy No. B4—Changon & Co. (Tel. 34281).

Indira, British, 276 regd. tons Capt. J. McCod from Haiphong at Yaumati—Fook Pong & Co. (Tel. 24965).

Sandviken, Norwegian, 1,775 registered tons Capt. A. Vassdal from S'hai at buoy No. B10—Jebshun & Co. (Tel. 24553).

Pluto, Portuguese, 2,344 regd. tons Capt. P. de Ega from Keelung at buoy No. B11—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Brelviken, Norwegian, 1,599 registered tons Capt. N. Norvalls from Koenoeikan at buoy No. B25—John Manners & Co. (Tel. 33583).

Chekiang for Hongay, Tasmania for Port Radon, Wing Wah for K.C. Wan, Tai Poo Sek for K.C. Wan, Gustav Diederichsen for Haiphong, Kwangtung for Haiphong, Wo Sang for Swatow.

## SAILING TO-DAY

Seistan, British, 1,571 registered tons Capt. R. C. Creer from Stonecutters for K.C. Wan noon—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Haroldwins, British, 851 regd. tons Capt. J. Teixeira from Texco wharf for K.C. Wan 6 p.m.—Tal Yau S.S. & Co. (Tel. 27273).

Cingalese Prince, British, 5,257 regd. tons Capt. E. Litchfield from K'loon Dock for Saigon, Manila, Iloilo, Cebu, New York, Boston & Halifax 2 p.m.—Furness (Far East) Ltd. (Tel. 21365).

Tsinan, British, 2,100 regd. tons Capt. J. K. Clark from buoy No. B20 for S'hai 5 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Changon, British, 2,235 regd. tons Capt. L. N. Beer from buoy No. B7 for K. C. Wan p.m.—Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

Wing Sang, British, 1,953 regd. tons Capt. S. J. Barden from buoy No. B2 for Haiphong 5 p.m.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Eurybates, British, 3,879 regd. tons Capt. B. T. Batho from Tal-koo Dock for S'hai & Japan p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

King Yuan, British, 1,545 regd. tons Capt. N. Hardie from buoy No. A9 for K.C. Wan, Pakhoi and Hothow 10 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

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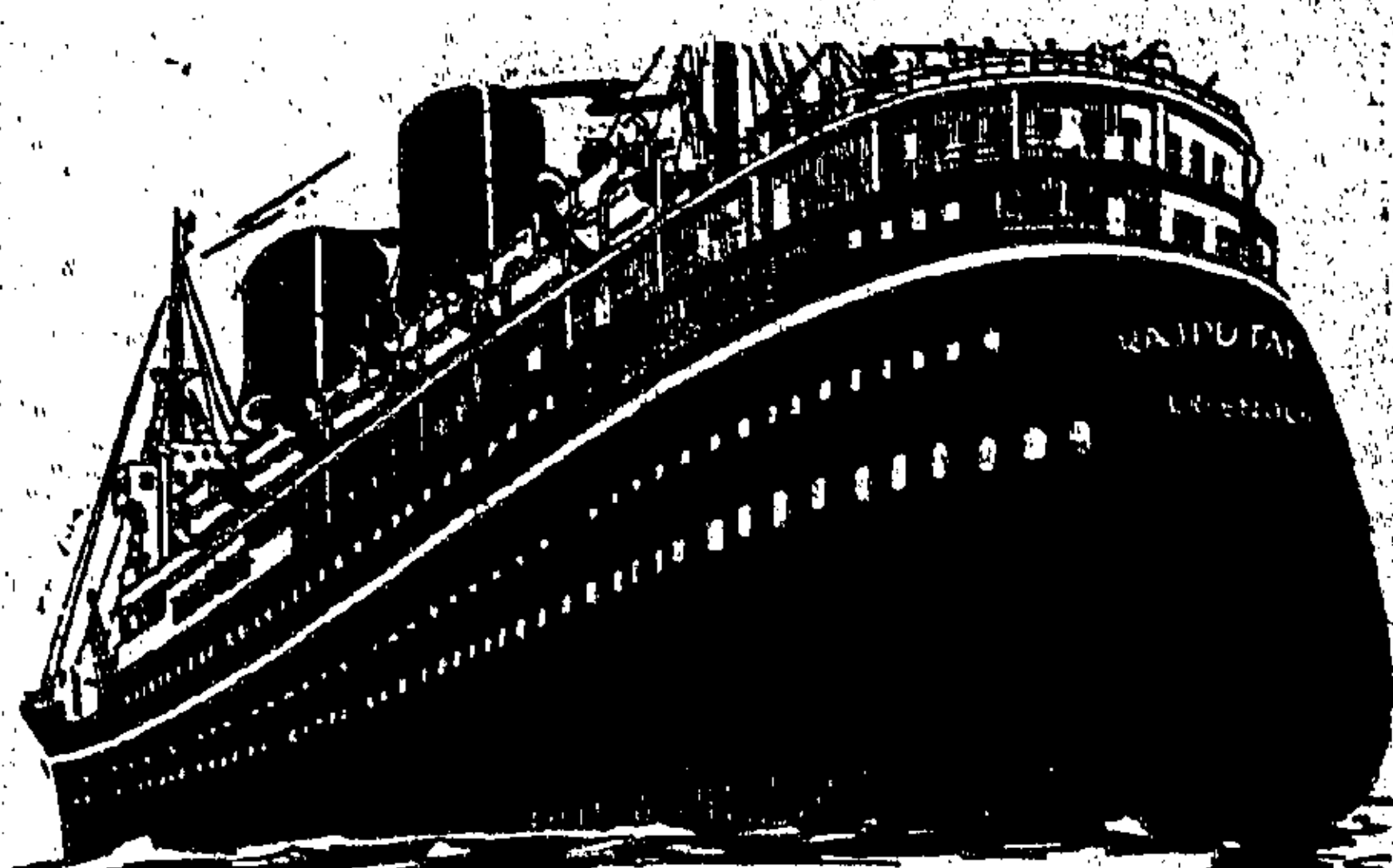
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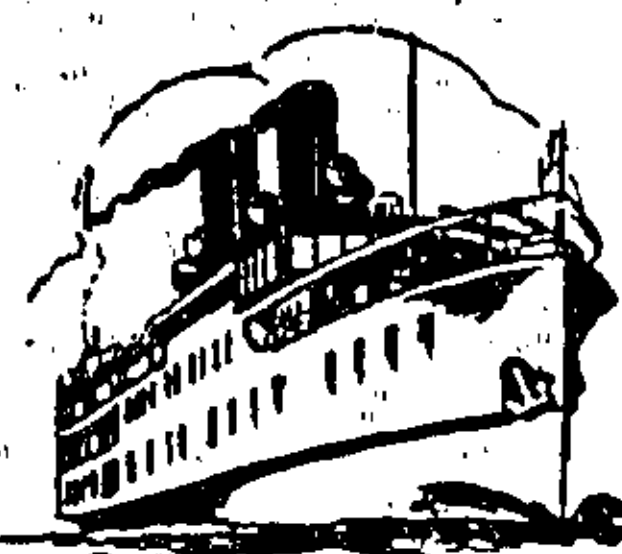
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5th September, 1939.

U. M. OMAR WINS BOWLS TITLE  
FOR FOURTH TIME IN CAREERTrailing 20-10, Beats  
A. R. Dallah By A Shot

U. M. OMAR BEAT A. R. DALLAH 21-20 ON THE 19TH HEAD AT CLUB DE RECREO YESTERDAY TO WIN THE COLONY LAWN BOWLS OPEN SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP FOR THE FOURTH TIME. OMAR WON THE OPEN SINGLES TITLE IN 1923, 1931 AND 1937.

His victory over Dallah was remarkable in the magnificent recovery he staged after the I.R.C. player led 20-10 on the 14th end and all seemed lost.

Internment  
Camp Story

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Scots mounted on guard on raised turrets from which they have an uninterrupted view, not only of the entire Camp but also of the surrounding country. Any attempt at escape under such conditions would be impossible.

A crowd of about 200 people had gathered yesterday for what was to most of them a deep emotional experience. German women predominated, but amongst the crowd was also a number of British and Chinese—including some German-speaking Chinese—friends, relatives and office colleagues of the internees.

Punctually at 5 p.m. an officer of the Royal Scots, accompanied by two privates, marched up to the entrance and permitted the crowd to walk to the main building along the drive, which was fenced in on both sides with barbed wire.

## NO NEWSPAPERS

In the main building every one of the men visitors was "frisked" by sentries of the Royal Scots. All parcels and books in their possession were thoroughly scrutinized before being handed back. No one was allowed to take any newspapers into the camp, as a result of which a large number of newspapers were confiscated.

The callers were then conducted upstairs where their names and addresses were recorded by the police. This took quite half an hour.

As their names were recorded, visitors were permitted to go into the camp and mix with the internees, of whom there are now about 100. The majority of these are Jewish refugees. Of the enemy subjects interned quite fifty per cent. happened to be in Hongkong at the outbreak of hostilities entirely by accident.

## ONLY ONE CZECH

The only Czech in the camp was the radio operator on the British ship "St. Vincent de Paul," who, through having a German passport (which became necessary following the Nazi annexation of Czechoslovakia) was seized after his ship arrived in Hongkong. He is naturally feeling very upset about the whole affair, and particularly so as he cannot speak a word of German, never having visited Nazi land.

Ten of the refugee internees were travelling to Shanghai on the Jean Laborde, the French mail boat which turned back when a day out from Shanghai and returned to Hongkong. They were, of course, promptly rounded up by the police on the ship's arrival here.

## AUSTRIAN JOURNALIST

There are a few doctors and other professional men among the Jewish refugees interned. One interesting personality is an Austrian journalist who claims to have been the Paris correspondent of a German newspaper before he sailed by the Italian ship Giulio Cesare for Hongkong, en route to Manila on an assignment. The ship was delayed two days by a typhoon outside Hongkong, on account of which he missed his connection. War broke out while he was waiting in Hongkong for another boat, and he was arrested.

A German pastry cook, who flew to Hongkong from Berlin, reached the Colony two days before war broke out and was arrested before he could sail for Manila where he was to take up a post. He is, incidentally, the youngest internee, being only 19 years of age.

There was also the case of a young Jewish refugee who was apparently overlooked by the police until Tuesday and was only arrested when he was trying to secure a passage to Shanghai.

Most Hongkong sportsmen probably know a young footballer with a German name, prominent in local sport circles. Of German parentage, he is also an inmate

Dallah appeared to have the game all in hand, but Omar outspurred him to finish with 22.1.3.3. The I.R.C. player started well, only to be outplayed on the first six heads, Omar leading 8-5 on the 6th end.

With almost uncanny control of weight, Dallah proceeded to turn a three shot deficit into a 10 shot lead, recording 3.2.2.3.0.3, to require a single shot for a win.

## OMAR STEPS IN

At this stage Omar stepped in. Dallah continued to trust to skill, but luck was not with him. The Craigengower player seemed unable to do anything wrong. Down 20-18 on the 18th head, he was second favourite yet to Dallah. But he recorded a 3 and the game was over.

His Excellency the Governor was among the many who braved the constant showers of rain to watch the battle of the giants. Both the winner and loser played exceptionally well, Omar having the edge in that he was contesting his fifth Open Singles final while Dallah has never before passed the semi-final stage of the competition.

The game was umpired by Mr. V. Chittenden.

Of the Camp, although he has never been in Germany and cannot speak a word of the language. Other members of his family have all become naturalised British subjects, but he, having been in Hongkong just under the prescribed period of five years, was not able to obtain his naturalisation papers in time. Every effort is being made by his relatives to obtain his release.

## INTERNEES ANXIOUS

What most of the internees are anxious about is the prospect of their release and also the latest news of the war. Some would not believe that Italy had resolved to remain neutral, and most of them were optimistic that with suitable guarantees they could obtain their release and leave the Colony for neutral territory.

Although the regulations do not provide specifically the release of internees on parole, it is understood that ten of the inmates, all over 41 years of age, have been allowed to return to their homes and live with their families under police guard. This virtually amounts to their being interned in their own homes, as they are not allowed to leave the premises.

This probably is the cause of the rumour which was circulated in town yesterday that some of the internees had been paroled.

Life in the camp has been methodically arranged by the military authorities and there were no complaints. The internees are quite happy, in the circumstances, and are bearing their lot cheerfully. All the internees occupy one large dormitory for sleeping. At every entrance, throughout the night, is an armed sentry.

The internees all speak very highly of the courtesy and good treatment of the British troops.

## LIFE AT CAMP

Life at the camp begins at 6.30 every morning when Reveille is sounded for the camp staff, followed half an hour later by Reveille for the inmates.

The Guard Commander's Roll Call for internees takes place at 8.15 a.m. after which breakfast follows. Sick parade is held at 10 o'clock and an hour later the Camp Commandant inspects the camp.

Lunch is at 12.30 and tea or

FOUR MEN  
ACCUSED OF  
MURDERALLEGED ATTACK  
IN SHAIKIWAN

Circumstances surrounding the murder of a caulker, Li So, the motive of which is not as yet known were revealed at the Central Court yesterday when four men were brought before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest accused of the alleged crime.

The four men were Wong Yin, Tang Lo, Chan Lam and Wong Ki-shan, and were alleged to have murdered Li So on the evening of July 22 in Shaikiwan District, near the Talkoo Dockyards.

Mr. John Whyatt, Crown Counsel, prosecuted, while Mr. F. H. Losby appeared for the defence of Wong Ki-shan.

A fifth person, who was jointly charged with the offence, was dismissed as the prosecution offered no evidence against him. He was represented by Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ.

## CASUAL EMPLOYEE

Li So, a painter, resided at No. 20, Tai Foo Street, the premises being rented by the Cheung Kee caulking shop. He was a casual employee at the shop and when he was not employed he used to visit mahjong schools.

On the evening of July 22, he went for a walk, after his meal, to the Fook Chun tea-house, No. 58, Main Street, where he joined his friend Chan Sung. Another friend, Yan Lun, who walked past the cafe was called in to join at the table. Yan left after half-an-hour and when passing the tea-house again he saw the two still inside. He then walked to Tai Hang Street.

Meanwhile, Li So came out of the tea-house and squatted near Tai Hang Street.

## SAW SIX MEN

A few minutes later, Yan Lun left the tea-house and while walking along Tai Hang Street, he noticed six men chasing Li So, and it was alleged that he recognised two of the men as first and second defendants, who were attacking the deceased.

It was alleged that the defendants were seen carrying a parcel each under their arm, and the second defendant was holding a hammer.

Li So, after having been attacked about the head and stabbed, ran into a barber shop and then ran into the tea-house. There he was attended to while police were summoned.

## ARRESTED ON BOAT

Acting on information, the police arrested the four defendants and the one who was dismissed on a boat in Shaikiwan harbour. When taken to the station, first defendant's jacket, singlet and trousers were found to be stained with blood.

Dr. P. F. S. Court, of the Queen Mary Hospital, who attended to the deceased when he was taken to the hospital, said that Li's condition was serious. He suffered from a stab wound in the left loin which penetrated his kidney. He also had injuries to his scalp. The deceased died early next morning.

After further evidence, the hearing was adjourned until this afternoon.

supper at 6 p.m. followed by dinner at 8 and "Lights Out" is sounded at 10.15 p.m., after which no smoking is allowed and strict silence must prevail.

There were many touching scenes yesterday when families were reunited for the short space of time allowed. Visitors. Shortly after 3.30 p.m. a sentry gave notice that time was up and farewells were hastily said as the crowd prepared to leave the premises.

It is understood that visitors will in future be allowed in the camp two times a week.

RECONNAISSANCE  
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LONDON, Sept. 6 (Reuter).—It was officially announced that on the night of Sept. 4, further extensive reconnaissance was carried out by the Royal Air Force over the Ruhr and that over 3,000,000 copies of a note to the German people were dropped.

The aircraft were not engaged by the enemy fighters and in this, as on the previous occasion, all British aircraft returned safely.

## FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, 1939, 8.30 A.M.

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Tientsin and Shanghai.	Yunnan.	7th Sept.
Straits.	Philoctetes.	7th Sept.
Canada, U. S. A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. date, 19th August).	Emp. of Asia.	7th Sept.
Batavia.	Can.	7th Sept.
Calcutta and Straits.	Yuenang.	7th Sept.
Japan.	Nowshera.	8th Sept.
Shanghai.	Somali.	8th Sept.
Japan and Shanghai.	Hakozaki Maru.	8th Sept.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Papers etc.) London date, 10th August.	Hakusan Maru.	9th Sept.
Manila.	Ptes. Pierce.	9th Sept.
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Shanghai and Amoy.	Tjisadané.	10th Sept.
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Direct Service—London date, 6th September.	Imperial Airways Plane	11th Sept.
Canton.	Sirogane Maru.	11th Sept.
Shanghai.	Kaisyo Maru.	11th Sept.
Straits and Calcutta.	Taina.	12th Sept.
Japan and Shanghai.	Kamakura Maru.	12th Sept.
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris date, 6th Sept.	Plane	12th Sept.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.)—London date, 17th August and London date, 10th August.	Ranpara.	13th Sept.
Shanghai.	Tusima Maru.	13th Sept.
<b>Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 6th September.</b>		
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 19th Aug.)	Pan American Airways Plane	14th Sept.
Straits.	Pres. Hayes.	14th Sept.
Japan and Shanghai.	Aeneas.	14th Sept.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 25th August).	Rajputana.	15th Sept.
Manila.	Pres. Coolidge.	15th Sept.
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Manila.	Emp. of Asia.	3.30 PM
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Amoy.	Cremet.	5.00 PM
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